#### **CHAPTER NO. 961**

#### SENATE BILL NO. 3415

### By Henry, Crutchfield

Substituted for: House Bill No. 3551

### By McMillan, Head, Fitzhugh, Tindell

AN ACT To make appropriations for the purpose of defraying the expenses of the state government for the fiscal years beginning July 1, 2003, and July 1, 2004, in the administration, operation and maintenance of the legislative, executive and judicial branches of the various departments, institutions, offices and agencies of the state; for certain state aid and obligations; for capital outlay, for the service of the public debt, for emergency and contingency; to repeal certain appropriations and any acts inconsistent herewith; to provide provisional continuing appropriations; and to establish certain provisions, limitations and restrictions under which appropriations may be obligated and expended. This act makes appropriations for the purposes described above for the fiscal years beginning July 1, 2003, and July 1, 2004.

#### BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. That appropriations hereinafter set out are hereby made for the purpose of defraying the expenses of state government for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2004, in the administration, operation and maintenance of the legislative, executive and judicial branches of the various departments, institutions, offices and agencies of the state, and for certain state aid and obligations and for capital outlay; for the service of the public debt, and for emergency and contingency, all according to the following schedule:

# I. LEGISLATIVE 2004-2005

1.	General Assembly	
	1.1 General Assembly Support Services\$	4,564,900.00
	1.2 General Assembly Committees	494,000.00
	1.3 House of Representatives	11,952,900.00
	1.4 State Senate	6,295,700.00
	1.5 Legislative Administration Services	4,132,600.00
	1.6 Tennessee Code Commission	69,600.00
	Total General Assembly	27,509,700.00
2.	Fiscal Review Committee	853,300.00
	Total Title I\$	28,363,000.00
	II. JUDICIAL	
1.	Appellate and Trial Courts\$	44,446,400.00
2.	Supreme Court Buildings	2,145,000.00
3.	Child Support Referees	384,200.00
4.	Guardian ad Litem	•
5.	Indigent Defendants' Counsel	17,341,600.00
6.	Civil Legal Representation	3,327,900.00
7.	Verbatim Transcripts	3,616,100.00

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8. 9. 10. 11. 12. 13. 14. 15. 16.	Tennessee State Law Libraries Judicial Programs and Commissions State Court Clerks' Conference Administrative Office of the Courts Appellate Court Clerks Board of Law Examiners Board of Professional Responsibility Tennessee Lawyers Assistance Program Continuing Legal Education Client Protection Fund  Total Title II	533,400.00 455,700.00 177,200.00 10,160,100.00 359,600.00 651,900.00 2,033,600.00 213,200.00 435,300.00 208,500.00
	III. EXECUTIVE	
	Constitutional and Quasi-Judicial Offices	
1.	Attorney General and Reporter  1.1 Attorney General and Reporter\$  1.2 Publication of Tennessee Reports	16,972,200.00 142,200.00 188,500.00 17,302,900.00
2.	District Attorneys General 2.1 District Attorneys General	44,846,100.00 237,200.00 1,163,900.00 46,247,200.00
3.	Department of State 3.1 Secretary of State \$ 3.2 State Election Commission \$ 3.3 Public Documents \$ 3.4 State Library and Archives \$ 3.5 Regional Libraries \$ 3.6 Registry of Election Finance \$ 3.7 Economic Council on Women Total Department of State \$	7,161,800.00 1,677,000.00 387,600.00 6,213,400.00 6,888,700.00 309,300.00 93,600.00 22,731,400.00
4.	Public Defenders 4.1 District Public Defenders\$ 4.2 Executive Director	22,276,900.00 747,500.00 2,728,500.00 1,343,200.00 27,096,100.00
5.	Comptroller of the Treasury 5.1 Division of Administration	651,900.00 5,533,600.00 8,666,300.00 5,909,700.00 1,264,100.00 330,000.00 309,200.00 7,878,300.00 10,000,000.00

	5.10 5.11 5.12 5.13 5.14	State Board of Equalization	2,804,000.00 338,700.00 1,208,900.00 865,800.00 12,510,000.00 58,270,500.00
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6.	6.1	of the Post-Conviction Defender Office of the Post-Conviction Defender\$ Total Office of the Post-Conviction Defender\$	1,099,000.00 1,099,000.00
7.	Treasu	ry Department	
	7.1	Treasurer's Office\$	88,100.00
	7.2	Certified Public Administrators	54,800.00
		Total Treasury Department\$	142,900.00
8.	Claims	and Compensation	
	8.1	Criminal Injuries Compensation\$	9,408,500.00
		Total Claims and Compensation\$	9,408,500.00
		Total Title III-1\$	182,298,500.00

The appropriation made under Title III-1, Item 8, may be increased or decreased as realized receipts of the Criminal Injuries Compensation Fund justify, subject to the provisions of Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 4, Chapter 3, Part 10 and Title 9, Chapter 4, Part 51. To the extent that receipts of the fund are insufficient to meet the fund's expenditure requirements, there is hereby appropriated a sum sufficient to support such expenditures.

# 2. Executive Offices

1.	Gover	nor's Office	
	1.1	Governor's Office\$	3,199,600.00
	1.2	Intergovernmental Conferences	411,800.00
		Total Governor's Office\$	3,611,400.00
2.	Comm	nissions	
	2.1	Commission on Children and Youth\$	1,496,500.00
	2.2	Commission on Aging and Disability	8,462,300.00
	2.3	Alcoholic Beverage Commission	1,812,400.00
	2.4	Human Rights Commission	1,397,600.00
	2.5	Health Services and Development Agency	1,278,700.00
	2.6	Corrections Institute	647,800.00
	2.7	Council of Juvenile and Family Court Judges	432,600.00
	2.8	Tennessee Regulatory Authority	7,145,100.00
	2.9	Advisory Commission on Intergovernmental Relations	266,000.00
	2.10	Arts Commission	4,014,000.00
	2.11	State Museum	2,449,900.00
		Total Commissions\$	29,402,900.00
3.	Depar	tment of Finance and Administration	
	3.1	Division of Administration\$	1,253,000.00
	3.2	Division of Budget	2,940,700.00
	3.3	Office of Information Resources	7,775,000.00
	3.4	Criminal Justice Programs	2,377,900.00
	3.5	Resource Development and Support	1,468,300.00
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	3.6 Capital Projects and Real Property Management	2,455,100.00	
	3.7 National and Community Service	218,200.00	
	Total Department of Finance and Administration\$	18,488,200.00	
4.	Department of Personnel		
	4.1 Executive Administration\$	1,766,800.00	
	4.2 Human Resource Development	735,800.00	
	4.3 Technical Services	1,810,600.00	
	Total Department of Personnel\$	4,313,200.00	
5.	Department of General Services		
	5.1 Administration\$	412,300.00	
	5.2 Property Management	1,379,300.00	
	5.3 Printing	250,000.00	
	5.4 Purchasing	22,000.00	
	Total Department of General Services\$	2,063,600.00	
6.	Department of Veterans Affairs\$	2,863,600.00	
7.	Office of Homeland Security\$	843,100.00	
	Total Title III-2\$	61,586,000.00	
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	Department of Agriculture		
1.	Administration and Grants\$	8,711,400.00	
2.	Regulatory Services		9,324,30
3.	Market Development	2,293,700.00	
4.	Forestry Operations		19,490,7
5.	Forestry Maintenance	158,500.00	
6.	Certified Cotton Growers' Organization Fund	15,435,000.00	
7.	Agricultural Regulatory Fund	2,354,400.00	
8.	Agricultural Resources Conservation Fund	1,875,000.00	
	Total Title III-3\$	59,643,000.00	
	4. Department of Tourist Development		
1.	Administration and Marketing\$	7,059,000.00	
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	Total Title III-4\$	7,059,000.00	
	5. Department of Environment and Conservation		
1.	Administrative Services\$	4,859,900.00	
2.	Recreation Educational Services	507,000.00	
3.	Historical Commission	1,402,800.00	
4.	Archaeology	611,800.00	
5.	Geology	•	1,162,50
6.	State Parks	28,967,000.00	
7.	Natural Heritage	• •	668,300
8.	Tennessee State Parks Maintenance	3,070,200.00	,
9.	Maintenance of Historic Sites	185,000.00	
10.	West Tennessee River Basin Authority	707,300.00	
11.	Environment Administration	1,069,300.00	
12.	Used Oil Collection Program	1,272,300.00	
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13. 14.	Dry Cleaners Environmental Response Fund	2,445,200.00
15.	Radiological Health	
16.	Water Pollution Control	4,733,900.00
17.	Solid Waste Management	1,594,700.00
18.	Abandoned Lands	1,004,700.00
19.	Hazardous Waste Remedial Action Fund	1,000,000.00
20.	Water Supply	723,500.00
21.	Groundwater Protection	3,302,100.00
22.	Underground Storage Tanks	31,151,900.00
23.	Solid Waste Assistance	9,230,500.00
24.	Environmental Protection Fund	38,701,200.00
25.	Community Assistance	6,217,800.00
26.	West Tennessee River Basin Authority Maintenance	500,000.00
27.	Local Parks Acquisition Fund	2,187,500.00
28.	State Lands Acquisition Fund	1,875,000.00
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	Total Title III-5\$	150,092,000.00
	6. Wildlife Resources Agency	
1.	Wildlife Resources Agency\$	31,289,600.00
2.	Boating Safety.	4,818,500.00
3.	Wetlands Compensation Fund	315,000.00
4.	Wetlands Acquisition Fund	3,747,500.00
	Total Title III-6\$	40,170,600.00

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The appropriation made under Title III-6 may be increased or decreased as realized receipts of the Wildlife Resources Fund justify, subject to the provisions of Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 4, Chapter 3, Part 10 and Title 9, Chapter 4, Part 51.

# 7. Department of Correction

1.	Administration\$	12,660,500.00
2.	State Prosecutions	
3.	Correction Academy	4,297,600.00
4.	Wayne County Boot Camp	8,454,000.00
5.	Brushy Mountain Correctional Complex	31,704,700.00
6.	Tennessee Prison for Women	15,200,300.00
7.	Turney Center Industrial Prison and Farm	20,722,800.00
8.	Mark Luttrell Correctional Facility	10,983,700.00
9.	Middle Tennessee Correctional Complex	22,291,800.00
10.	Southeastern Tennessee State Regional Correctional Facility	17,909,400.00
11.	Major Maintenance	
12.	West Tennessee State Penitentiary	42,895,100.00
13.	Riverbend Maximum Security Institution	18,944,800.00
14.	Northeast Correctional Complex	29,956,900.00
15.	South Central Correctional Center	24,689,500.00
16.	Northwest Correctional Complex	38,144,400.00
17.	Lois M. DeBerry Special Needs Facility	28,768,700.00
18.	Hardeman County Incarceration Agreement	32,374,400.00
19.	Sentencing Act of 1985	14,335,500.00
20.	Sex Offender Treatment Program	75,000.00
21.	Hardeman County Agreement – Whiteville	25,611,400.00

		518,710,200.00	
	8.	Department of Economic and Community Development	
1. 2. 3.	Industri	strative Services\$ al Developmentss Services	4,198,000.00 3,065,800.00
4. 5. 6. 7. 8.	Commu Energy FastTra	ck Infrastructure Development Program	21,600,000.00 2,963,300.00 34,300.00 12,989,100.00 1,882,200.00
		Total Title III-8\$	48,093,900.00
	9.	Department of Education	
1.	Adminis 1.1 1.2	Strative Services Administration	7,127,000.00 644,400.00 7,771,400.00
2.	Kinderg 2.1	State Programs a. Curriculum and Instruction	3,824,500.00 80,619,200.00 2,767,247,200.00 1,700,000.00 6,959,700.00 3,758,500.00 4,398,300.00 13,682,700.00 2,882,190,100.00 13,048,300.00 4,805,500.00 544,200.00 15,996,600.00 34,394,600.00
3.	Vocatio 3.1	Total Kindergarten, Elementary and Secondary\$  nal Education  Vocational Education Programs\$  Total Vocational Education\$	2,916,584,700.00 3,661,500.00 3,661,500.00
4.	Special 4.1 4.2 4.3 4.4 4.5	Schools Alvin C. York Institute	4,056,100.00 8,497,600.00 11,813,900.00 1,877,000.00 239,100.00 26,483,700.00

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# 10. Higher Education

1.		stration and Support Services	
	1.1	Tennessee Higher Education Commission\$	1,924,600.00
	1.2	Contract Education	2,317,600.00
	1.3	Tennessee Student Assistance Awards	40,987,500.00
	1.4	Tennessee Student Assistance Corporation	1,260,100.00
	1.5	Loan/Scholarship Programs	1,184,600.00
	1.6	Foreign Language Institute	293,200.00
	1.7	THEC Grants	2,496,100.00
		Total Administration and Support Services\$	50,463,700.00
2.		ence Initiatives	0=0.400.00
	2.1	Academic Scholars Program\$	250,400.00
	2.2	Centers of Excellence	17,020,700.00
	2.3	Campus Centers of Emphasis	1,222,400.00
		Total Excellence Initiatives\$	18,493,500.00
3.		sity of Tennessee System	
	3.1	Administrative and Other Services	2.040.000.00
		a. U.T. University-Wide Administration\$	3,046,000.00
		b. U.T. Institute for Public Service	4,609,100.00
		c. U.T. Municipal Technical Advisory Service	1,480,700.00
		d. U.T. County Technical Assistance Service	1,105,000.00
		e. U.T. Space Institute	7,157,100.00
		Subtotal Administrative and Other Services\$	17,397,900.00
	3.2	Agricultural Services	
		a. U.T. Agricultural Experiment Stations\$	20,422,900.00
		b. U.T. Agricultural Extension Service	24,227,800.00
		c. U.T. Veterinary Medicine	13,198,300.00
		Subtotal Agricultural Services\$	57,849,000.00
	3.3	Medical Education	57 700 000 00
		a. U.T. Memphis\$	57,709,600.00
		b. U.T. Family Medicine	6,320,800.00
		c. U.T. College of Medicine	39,857,100.00
		Subtotal Medical Education\$	103,887,500.00
	3.4	University Campuses	27.050.400.00
		a. U.T. Chattanooga\$	37,958,400.00
		b. U.T. Knoxville	157,016,900.00
		c. U.T. Martin	26,903,900.00
		Subtotal University Campuses\$	221,879,200.00
		Total University of Tennessee System\$	401,013,600.00
4.	Tennes	ssee Board of Regents System	
	4.1	Administration	
		a. Tennessee Board of Regents\$	3,740,000.00
		Subtotal Administration\$	3,740,000.00
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	4.2	Medical Education	00 040 400 00
		a. East Tennessee State University - College of Medicine\$	23,219,400.00

		b. East Tennessee State University - Family Practice	4,166,300.00 27,385,700.00
	4.3	Regional Universities a. Austin Peay State University	29,317,800.00 51,147,600.00 100,306,100.00 80,426,100.00 36,233,900.00 40,445,700.00 337,877,200.00
	4.4	Community Colleges a. Southwest Tennessee Community College	34,045,200.00 12,769,500.00 17,795,100.00 10,309,500.00 20,669,000.00 8,994,700.00 11,132,500.00 5,997,500.00 10,549,100.00 8,702,900.00 15,529,600.00 15,529,700.00 15,552,300.00 187,342,600.00
	4.5	Technology Centers a. Tennessee Technology Centers\$ Subtotal Technology Centers\$	41,519,200.00 41,519,200.00
	4.6	Agricultural Center a. TSU McMinnville Center	439,500.00 439,500.00 598,304,200.00
5.	Higher	Education System-Wide Programs	
	5.1	Geier Desegregation Settlement\$  Total Higher Education System-Wide Programs\$	11,204,600.00 11,204,600.00
		Total Title III-10\$	1,079,479,600.00
	11.	Department of Commerce and Insurance	
1. 2. 3. 4. 5.	Consur Fire Fig 911 Em Regula 5.1 5.2 Fire and	ner Affairs  Internation Standards and Education Intergency Communications Fund Intergency Boards Interpetation and Recovery Fund Interpetation Auctioneer Education and Recovery Fund Interpetation International Interpetation I	2,210,400.00 26,374,900.00 279,700.00 76,300.00 3,702,600.00 76,100.00

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		Total Title III-11\$	51,050,800.00	
	12.	Department of Financial Institutions\$	6,622,100.00	
		Total Title III-12\$	6,622,100.00	
	d receip	ppropriation made under Title III-12 may be increased or decreated by justify, subject to the provisions of Tennessee Code Annotated, and Title 9, Chapter 4, Part 51.		
	13.	Department of Labor and Workforce Development		
1. 2.	Tenne	istration\$ ssee Occupational Safety and	2,545,600.00	
•		Administration (TOSHA)	3,764,600.00	
3.		ers' Compensation	6,906,500.00	
4. 5. 6.	Labor	Standardsd Injury Fund	338,400.00	997,100 7,195,90
7.	Adult I	Basic Education	3,274,800.00	
8.	Unins	ured Employers Fund	265,200.00	
		Total Title III-13\$	25,288,100.00	
	14.	Department of Mental Health and Developmental Disabilities		
1.	Admin	istration		
	1.1	Administrative Services Division\$	7,847,900.00	
		Total Administration\$	7,847,900.00	
2.	Menta	I Health Services		
	2.1	Mental Health Services Administration\$	1,592,100.00	
	2.2	Lakeshore Mental Health Institute	11,561,500.00	
	2.3	Middle Tennessee Mental Health Institute	12,226,900.00	
	2.4	Western Mental Health Institute	11,520,900.00	
	2.5	Moccasin Bend Mental Health Institute	8,453,100.00	
	2.6	Memphis Mental Health Institute	9,403,800.00	
	2.7	Community Mental Health Services	43,035,000.00	
	2.8	Major Maintenance	750,000.00	
		Total Mental Health Services\$	98,543,300.00	
		Total Title III-14\$	106,391,200.00	
	15.	Department of Military		
1.	Admin	istration\$	2,044,600.00	
2.		National Guard	784,200.00	
3.		tional Guard	. 0 1,200.00	1,507,80
4.		ssee Emergency Management Agency	2,279,700.00	1,007,00
5.		ies Maintenance	736,600.00	
6.		ies Utilities	700,000.00	1,764,80
		Total Title III-15\$	9,117,700.00	

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Department of Health

1.	Administra	ation xecutive Administration\$	4,560,100.00
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		dministrative Services	2,410,200.00
		livision of Technology	3,177,700.00
		olicy Planning and Assessment	4,128,300.00
	Т	otal Administration\$	14,276,300.00
2.		r Resources and Facilities	
		lealth Licensure and Regulation\$	4,220,700.00
		mergency Medical Services	546,500.00
	2.3 La	aboratory Services	7,161,700.00
		ealth Related Boards	10,329,000.00
	T	otal Manpower Resources and Facilities\$	22,257,900.00
3.		ty Health Services	
		ealth Services Administration\$	3,801,100.00
		eneral Environmental Health	10,114,500.00
	3.3 M	laternal and Child Health	2,924,100.00
	3.4 C	communicable and Environmental Disease Services	4,049,600.00
		opulation-Based Services	9,385,500.00
		otal Community Health Services\$	30,274,800.00
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4.	Local Hea		
	4.1 Lo	ocal Health Services\$	21,418,800.00
	To	otal Local Health\$	21,418,800.00
5.		nd Drug Abuse Services	
	5.1 A	Icohol and Drug Abuse Services\$	12,969,600.00
	T	otal Alcohol and Drug Abuse Services\$	12,969,600.00
		Total Title III-16\$	101,197,400.00
	17. D	epartment of Human Services	
1.	Administra		
	1.1 A	dministration\$	18,310,600.00
	1.2 Fi	ield Operations	5,915,000.00
	1.3 C	ounty Rentals	3,897,600.00
		otal Administration\$	28,123,200,00
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2.		ssistance Services	45 000 000 00
		hild Support\$	15,026,800.00
	2.2 F	amily Assistance Services	48,759,400.00
		emporary Cash Assistance	43,882,700.00
	T	otal Family Assistance Services\$	107,668,900.00
3.	Social Se		
		community Services\$	47,099,400.00
	T	otal Social Services\$	47,099,400.00
4.	Rehabilita	ative Services	
	4.1 V	ocational Rehabilitation\$	9,494,000.00
		otal Rehabilitative Services\$	9,494,000.00
		Total Title III-17\$	192,385,500.00

# 18. Department of Revenue

1. 2. 3. 4. 5.	Administration Division	6,000,100.00 4,238,200.00 7,529,100.00 5,082,400.00 15,761,700.00
	Total Title III-18\$	43,646,000.00
	19. Tennessee Bureau of Investigation\$	25,069,400.00
	Total Title III-19\$	25,069,400.00
	20. Department of Safety	
1. 2. 3. 4. 5. 6. 7. 8. 9. 10. 11.	Administration Driver License Issuance Highway Patrol Motorcycle Rider Education Motor Vehicle Operations Driver Education Law Enforcement Training Academy POST Commission. Titling and Registration Major Maintenance. Technical Services CID Anti-Theft Unit	5,450,600.00 1,575,900.00 71,507,800.00 183,300.00 7,172,600.00 2,417,000.00 21,952,500.00
	Total Title III-20\$  21. Miscellaneous Appropriations	119,857,300.00
1.	Consolidated Retirement System  1.1 County Officials and County Judges Retirement Contribution\$  1.2 Former Governors and Widows of Former Governors - Pensions	9,000,000.00 170,000.00 125,000.00
2.	State Employees' Unemployment Compensation, Sick Leave, Death Benefit Payments and Terminal Leave Payments	200,000.00 10,000.00 4,000.00
3.	Insurance - Retirees 3.1 Retirees Health Insurance	7,750,000.00 9,600,000.00
4. 5. 6. 7. 8.	State School Bond Authority - Debt Service  Attorney's Fees - Civil Rights Cases  Special Election Reimbursement to Counties  Disaster Relief Grants  Criminal Justice Programs	40,300.00 500,000.00 130,000.00 1,750,100.00 663,900.00

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9.	Tennessee Association of Rescue Squads	71,300.00	
10.	YMCA Youth Legislature	25,000.00	
11.	Homeland Security Emergency Fund	1,057,800.00	
12. 13.	Forensic Center at Quillen College of Medicine	100,000.00	101 900
13. 14.	LAN Consolidation	7,929,500.00	181,800
14. 15.	State Employee Classification Compensation	2,829,000.00	
15. 16.	Deferred Compensation – 401K match – state employees  Board of Claims - Premiums	1,200,000.00	
10. 17.	Rent Adjustments	1,200,000.00	401,000
18.	Performance Based Budgeting – 2002 PC 875	612,300.00	401,000
19.	State Employee and Higher Education – 7/1/04 Salary Increase	24,200,000.00	
20.	Salary Bonus – 1% State Employees and Higher Education	24,400,000.00	
21.	TCRS – State Employees, Higher Education, and K-12	73,400,000.00	
22.	Group Health Insurance Premium – 1/1/04	11,000,000.00	
23.	Group Health Insurance Premium – 1/1/05	16,300,000.00	
24.	MVM – DUI Vehicle Confiscation program	719,100.00	
25.	MVM – Purchase of New Vehicles	3,500,000.00	
26.	Imagination Library	<b>0,000</b> ,	2,000,00
27.	Information Systems Development Projects	38,000,000.00	_, _ , _ , _
28.	State Shared Revenue Reduction Mitigation Account	1,500,000.00	
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	Total Title III-21\$	239,370,100.00	
	22. Department of Children's Services		
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1.	Administration\$	22,596,500.00	
2.	Family Support Services	26,968,100.00	
3.	Custody Services		85,247,1
4.	Adoption Services		18,326,2
5.	Child and Family Management	58,077,900.00	
6.	John S. Wilder Youth Development Center	9,304,600.00	
7.	Taft Youth Development Center	10,232,300.00	
8.	Woodland Hills Youth Development Center	9,635,100.00	
9.	Mountain View Youth Development Center	9,930,100.00	
10.	Secure Female Facility	2,833,100.00	
11.	Community Treatment Facilities	7,006,600.00	
12.	Tennessee Preparatory School	1,664,100.00	400 400
13.	Major Maintenance		420,100
	Total Title III-22\$	262,241,800.00	
	23. Board of Probation and Parole		
1.	Probation and Parole Services\$	47,699,100.00	
2.	Community Correction	9,085,800.00	
	Total Title III-23\$	56,784,900.00	
	24. Department of Finance and Administration – Mental Retardation		
1.	Mental Retardation Administration\$	4,264,500.00	
2.	Developmental Disabilities Council	164,500.00	
3.	Community Mental Retardation Services	88,549,700.00	
4.	West Tennessee Region	5,289,000.00	
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5. 6.		Tennessee Regionennessee Region	9,361,800.00 3,372,400.00	
		Total Title III-24\$	111,001,900.00	
	25.	Department of Finance and Administration – TennCare Program		
1. 2.		are Administration\$	92,295,900.00	1,
3. 4.	Waive	r and Crossover Services Ferm Care Services	258,293,800.00 448,422,400.00	٠,
		Total Title III-25\$	2,490,045,500.00	
	26.	Emergency and Contingency Fund\$	819,300.00	
		Total Title III-26\$	819,300.00	

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The Emergency and Contingency Fund may be used for any purpose authorized by law to be allowed on Executive Order of the Governor; provided, however, the Emergency and Contingency Fund shall not be used to fund any law requiring the expenditure of state funds unless an appropriation is made elsewhere for the estimated first year's funding.

# 27. Major Maintenance and Equipment

1.	State I	Building Commission\$	250,000.00
		Total Title III-27\$	250,000.00
	28.	Facilities Revolving Fund	
1.	Gener	al Services Operating Maintenance\$	321,600.00
		Total Title III-28\$	321,600.00

# 29. Department of Transportation

There is hereby appropriated for the use of the Department of Transportation such receipts of highway revenues as are now provided by law, or may hereafter be so provided, to accrue to that department during the fiscal year, beginning July 1, 2004, to be expended by the Commissioner of Transportation, all according to the following schedule:

#### 2004-2005

1.	Admir	istration	
	1.1	Headquarters\$	14,271,000.00
	1.2	Bureau of Administration	32,840,000.00
	1.3	Bureau of Engineering	25,900,000.00
	1.4	Field Engineering	26,630,000.00
	1.5	Insurance Premiums	10,282,000.00
	1.6	Bureau of Environment and Planning	7,174,000.00
		Total Administration\$	117,097,000.00

2.	Equipment Purchases and Operations\$	21,431,000.00
3.	Highway Maintenance\$	253,428,000.00
4.	State Construction 4.1 Highway Betterments	5,700,000.00 10,815,000.00 1,475,000.00 10,055,000.00 56,967,000.00
5.	Federal Construction 5.1 Mass Transit	30,146,000.00 5,100,000.00 14,825,000.00 200,000.00 267,821,000.00 5,000,000.00 25,385,000.00 348,477,000.00
	Total Title III-29\$	797,400,000.00

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Said funds so appropriated shall be obligated and expended under the provisions of Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 4, Chapter 3, Part 10 and Title 9, Chapter 4, Part 51. There is further appropriated to the Department of Transportation such departmental revenue, expressly including federal matching funds, as may accrue to the department.

The "Proposed Highway Program for Fiscal Year 2004-2005", prepared by the Department of Transportation as a supplement to and as "Supporting Data for the Budget Request", is hereby incorporated into and made a part of the Appropriations Act.

Whenever a determination is made that one or more of the projects in the approved program cannot be proceeded with, the Commissioner of Transportation shall furnish, in written form as prescribed by the Chairmen of the Finance, Ways and Means Committees of the Senate and House and the Chairmen of the Transportation Committees of the Senate and House, the reasons for such proposed cancellation or rescheduling of said project, together with a recommendation for a substitute project. The notice of cancellation or rescheduling of said project shall be submitted to the Speaker of the Senate, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, the Chairmen of the Finance, Ways and Means Committees of the Senate and House, the Chairmen of the Transportation Committees of the Senate and House and to the individual Senator and Representative in whose districts the canceled project or proposed substitution is located.

From the funds appropriated above in Item 4.2, State Aid, the sum of \$10,600,000.00 is allocated for the purpose of funding the state's eighty percent (80%) share of the project cost of the 1990 Bridge Grant Program. For the fiscal 2004-2005 budget, the state shall fund an eighty percent (80%) share of this program and local governments shall be responsible for funding the remaining twenty percent (20%), as set forth in Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 54, Chapter 4, Part 5.

For the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2004, the Commissioner of Transportation shall distribute this money among the ninety-five (95) county geographical areas of the state according to the following formula:

One-half of the funds shall be distributed equally, and one-half shall be distributed on the basis of structural needs. Structural needs shall be determined by calculating the ratio of linear feet of bridges with a load rating of less than ten tons, in each county geographical area, located on public roads other than those on a federal-aid system or the state system of highways, to the total linear feet of like bridges in the state.

## 30. State Funding Board

There is hereby appropriated to the State Funding Board for interest and reduction of the state debt, for debt service expense and interest on proposed bond authorization:

#### 2004-2005

1.	Interest on State Debt\$	41,821,000.00
2.	Retirement of Bonds	73,918,000.00
3.	Amortization of 2003 Bond Sale	15,279,000.00
4.	Debt Service Expense	1,000,000.00
5.	Amortization of Authorized and	
	Unissued Construction Bonds	40,764,000.00
6.	Amortization of Authorized and	
	Unissued Highway Bonds	74,000,000.00
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	Total Title III-30\$	246.782.000.00

The appropriation made under Section 1, Title III-30, Items 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 is made under the provisions of Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 9, Chapter 9, and may be increased to such amounts as will be necessary to carry out such provisions.

#### 31. Capital Outlay

There is hereby appropriated to each of the departments and agencies enumerated herein, funds for major maintenance, equipment, construction and acquisition of land, and for expansion, improvement, betterments and repairs to existing structures. The Commissioner of Finance and Administration is hereby authorized to transfer the amounts herein appropriated to the Capital Projects Fund for the use of the said departments and agencies.

1.	Department of Correction\$	10,275,000.00
2.	Department of Education	140,000.00
3.	Department of Environment and Conservation	100,000.00
4.	Department of Finance and Administration	1,450,000.00
5.	Department of Labor and Workforce Development	260,000.00
6.	Department of Mental Health and Developmental Disabilities	500,000.00
7.	Tennessee Board of Regents	12,415,000.00
8.	University of Tennessee	4,190,000.00
9.	Department of Finance and Administration – Statewide Capital	
	Maintenance	15,420,000.00
	Total Title III-31\$	44,750,000.00

Said funds herein appropriated shall be used solely for improvements, betterments, and additions to state structures and for the acquisition of additional land and space, including the purchase of existing structures and grants, as described or referred to above and as approved by the State Building Commission; provided, further, that such funds as are appropriated herein shall be utilized to finance only those projects, improvements, betterments, or additions which are presented in the State of Tennessee's 2004-2005 Budget Document, as amended by any changes or additional projects contained in the Appropriations Act as passed on third and final consideration; provided, further, that all funds appropriated in this act or other general acts of this session for capital outlay shall be subject to the provisions of Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 4, Chapter 15, Part 1, and further expressly providing for the making of a grant to the Historic Tennessee Theatre Foundation, a not-for-profit organization located in Knoxville. Such grant so identified and approved is determined to be for a public purpose.

#### 32. Capital Outlay--Sinking Fund

There is hereby appropriated for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2004, to the Sinking Fund from the receipts of the tax levied by Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 67, Chapter 4, Part 20, "The Excise Tax Law", an amount to be determined by the State Funding Board.

#### SECTION 2. Capital Outlay and Major Maintenance

- Item 1. Any funds appropriated by this General Assembly for capital outlay, capital maintenance and major maintenance shall not revert to the general fund but shall remain available until expended. It is the intent of the General Assembly that funds of capital outlay nature shall remain available until expended for the purpose for which the appropriations were made.
- Item 2. Any unexpended capital outlay or capital maintenance funds appropriated by previous General Assemblies for completed or discontinued projects shall be accumulated in a capital account to be administered by Finance and Administration. Expenditure of these funds is subject to approval by the State Building Commission upon recommendation by the Commissioner of Finance and Administration of each project to be provided for from said funds.
- Item 3. From the appropriations made to the State Funding Board in Section 1, Title III-30, the Funding Board is hereby authorized to allocate and provide to the Capital Projects Fund such funds not required for debt service during fiscal year 2004-2005 for projects duly authorized and approved by the General Assembly; provided, however, that when the Funding Board allocates funds under this provision, any other appropriation or bond authorization for said purpose is hereby reduced accordingly.
- Item 4. From the funds appropriated for capital outlay in this act and other acts of the legislature, the Commissioner of Finance and Administration, with the approval of the State Building Commission, is authorized to charge the administrative costs of the construction programs to the capital outlay appropriations or to transfer from the Capital Projects Fund to the general fund an amount sufficient to cover those costs. Such expenditures shall be from non-bond proceeds.
- Item 5. From the funds appropriated for capital outlay in this act and other acts of the legislature, the Commissioner of Finance and Administration is authorized to establish and charge the costs of design and engineering positions

to the capital outlay appropriations or to transfer from the Capital Projects Fund to the general fund an amount sufficient to cover these costs. This item is subject to approval by the State Building Commission.

Item 6. From the funds appropriated for capital outlay in this act and other acts of the legislature, the Commissioner of Finance and Administration, with the approval of the State Building Commission, is authorized to transfer the appropriations for capital outlay to the Department of Finance and Administration to provide for the centralized administration of capital outlay. It is further the legislative intent to allow for centralized administration of any project recommended by the Commissioner of Finance and Administration and approved by the State Building Commission.

Item 7. To the extent that the accumulated yearly interest and earnings of the Natural Resources Trust Fund are available through June 30, 2004, said funds are hereby appropriated to the Department of Environment and Conservation to be available for projects which are reviewed and evaluated under procedures established by the authority of Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 11-14-308.

Item 8. There is hereby appropriated to the Department of Mental Health and Developmental Disabilities the proceeds from the sale of any real property and facilities being used by the department. The appropriation shall be available to fund the department's master plan for facilities subject to approval by the State Building Commission.

This appropriation is made notwithstanding the provisions of Section 20 of this act and the provisions of Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 54, Chapter 2, Part 2, to the contrary.

Item 9. There is hereby appropriated to the Department of Military the proceeds from the sale of any real property and facilities being used by the department. The appropriation shall be available to fund replacement facilities for the department subject to approval by the State Building Commission.

This appropriation is made notwithstanding the provisions of Section 20 of this act and the provisions of Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 54, Chapter 2, Part 2, to the contrary.

Item 10. Other provisions of the law to the contrary notwithstanding, any proceeds from the sale of surplus land and real property in Davidson County are hereby reappropriated to the Department of Finance and Administration to provide for the state's office space and support facilities requirements in Davidson County.

This appropriation is made notwithstanding the provisions of Section 20 of this act and the provisions of Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 54, Chapter 2, Part 2, to the contrary. Any reappropriation made pursuant to the provisions of this item is subject to the approval of the State Building Commission.

Item 11. From the appropriation made in Section 1, Title III-7, to the Department of Correction, Sentencing Act of 1985, there is hereby reappropriated to the department for capital outlay purposes the sum of \$12,670,000. There is further reappropriated the balance of the appropriation for Sentencing Act of 1985 to the State Funding Board for debt service requirements

on authorized and unissued construction bonds for the department and the board is directed to cancel bonds in said amount.

Other appropriations made under this act to the Department of Correction, Sentencing Act of 1985, are hereby reappropriated to the department for major maintenance and capital outlay purposes or to cancel bonds. The balance of any reserve fund carried forward at June 30, 2004, is hereby reappropriated to the department for major maintenance or capital outlay purposes. The appropriation and transfer of funds authorized in this item are made under the provisions of Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 9-4-210.

Item 12. From the appropriation made in Section 1, Title III-3, Item 4, to the Department of Agriculture, Forestry Operations, the sum of \$3,600,000 is intended to fund the replacement of bulldozers and associated equipment and to provide for debt service on equipment revolving fund bonds and operational costs. Any unexpended funds for this purpose may be transferred to the State Funding Board and the board is directed to cancel bonds in said amount.

#### SECTION 3.

Item 1. Appropriations made under Section 1, Titles III-11 and III-16, for the operation of the state regulatory boards, shall be subject to allotment by the Commissioner of Finance and Administration, and no expenditure shall be made by any said boards out of fees collected by them unless and until such allotments have been made by the Commissioner of Finance and Administration. Such allotments for the operation of said respective boards as are made by the Commissioner of Finance and Administration shall be disbursed under the provisions of Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 4, Chapter 3, Part 10 and Title 9, Chapter 4, Part 51.

The allotment hereinabove provided shall be subject to the condition that no money shall be paid therefrom for the salary of any employee of said boards unless and until such salary has been approved by the Commissioner of Personnel. The appointment of all employees of said boards shall likewise be approved by the Commissioner of Personnel.

Notwithstanding any provision of law to the contrary, no member of any board or commission established by law or pursuant to law, which receives an appropriation under this act, regardless of the source of funding, shall receive any compensation, whether denominated per diem or by whatever name called, except for days in which such member actually works four (4) or more hours performing duties directly relating to that board's or commission's activities, or for time or days spent attending meetings of that board or commission. The chairman or head of each board or commission, the department head to which such board or commission is attached administratively, and the Commissioner of Finance and Administration, shall prescribe procedures to contain, as a minimum, a certification of time worked by each member claiming compensation.

Item 2. Except as otherwise provided in this section, the appropriations to the Wildlife Resources Agency under Section 1, Title III-6, shall be paid out of the special fund established under Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 70, Chapter 1, Part 4 and Section 69-10-203. Such appropriations shall be expended under the provisions of Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 4, Chapter 3, Part 10 and Title 9, Chapter 4, Part 51, and shall be used only for the expenses of the Wildlife Resources Agency pursuant to Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 70 and Title 69, Chapter 10, Part 2, and no part of the unexpended fund left at the end of the

fiscal year shall be used for any other purpose but shall be carried over in said fund and may be expended during the next year, and all of said fees and revenues provided by Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 70 and Title 69, Chapter 10, Part 2, are herein specifically apportioned and appropriated to the use and for the benefit of the Wildlife Resources Agency to be expended under the provisions of Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 4, Chapter 3, Part 10 and Title 9, Chapter 4, Part 51. Nothing in this item shall be construed as relieving the Wildlife Resources Agency of the duty of policing littering of lakes and streams.

Item 3. The appropriation to the State Board of Law Examiners in Section 1, Title II, Item 13, shall be from funds generated by fees collected by the board under the provisions of Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 23, Chapter 1.

In case the appropriation to the board shall prove inadequate to allow the board to function efficiently, the Commissioner of Finance and Administration may make an additional allotment thereto from the general fund, the total of all allotments to the board not to exceed the revenues paid into the treasury by the board.

Item 4. The appropriation to the Department of Financial Institutions in Section 1, Title III-12, shall be derived from banking fees assessed pursuant to Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 45, Chapter 1, Part 1. No part of the unexpended fees left at the end of the fiscal year shall revert to the general fund.

#### **DEPARTMENTAL REVENUES**

SECTION 4. All departmental revenue of every kind, as hereinafter defined, collected by any department, institution, office, or agency, in the course of its operations, for its own use, are hereby appropriated to it in addition to the specific appropriations made by this act, unless otherwise provided in this act or other provision of law. Federal aid funds granted to the state for the use of or to be administered by any department, institution, or agency, are likewise appropriated. For the purpose of this section "departmental revenues" are defined as (1) earnings or charges for goods or services; (2) donations, contributions or participation by political subdivisions, foundations, corporations, firms or persons. State revenues, in contradistinction to departmental revenues, are the proceeds of taxes, licenses, fees, fines, forfeiture or other imposts laid specifically by law.

Notwithstanding any provision of the previous paragraph, the Department of Health shall deposit all funds generated by fees or taxes collected by such entity in the general fund of the state. Any appropriations for the operation of such entity shall be subject to allotment by the Commissioner of Finance and Administration, and no expenditure shall be made by any such entity out of fees or taxes collected by it, unless and until such allotments have been made by the Commissioner of Finance and Administration. Such allotments for the operation of such entity as are made by the Commissioner of Finance and Administration shall be disbursed under the provisions of Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 4, Chapter 3, Part 10 and Title 9, Chapter 4, Part 51.

The departmental revenues and federal aid funds appropriated under this act shall include the amounts hereinafter set out:

# I. LEGISLATIVE 2004-2005

1.	Legislative Administration Services\$	258,700.00
2.	House of Representatives	28,500.00

3. 4.	State Senate	22,000.00 1,293,500.00
	Total Title I\$	1,602,700.00
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	II. JUDICIAL	
1. 2. 3. 4. 5. 6.	Appellate and Trial Courts\$  Supreme Court Buildings  Child Support Referees  Indigent Defendants' Counsel  Tennessee State Law Libraries  Appellate Court Clerks	27,300.00 613,000.00 785,500.00 5,000.00 10,000.00 1,525,900.00
7. 8.	Judicial Programs and Commissions	84,300.00 378,700.00
9.	Judicial Conference	370,700.00
	Total Title II\$	3,629,700.00
	III. EXECUTIVE	
	Constitutional and Quasi-Judicial Offices	
1.	Attorney General and Reporter  1.1 Attorney General and Reporter\$  1.2 Special Litigation  Total Attorney General and Reporter\$	9,272,200.00 783,900.00 10,056,100.00
2.	District Attorneys General 2.1 District Attorneys General	4,016,700.00 266,300.00 531,300.00 10,654,100.00 15,468,400.00
3.	Department of State 3.1 Secretary of State	8,853,600.00 120,000.00 3,003,100.00 617,500.00 400,000.00 43,000.00 68,000.00 13,105,200.00
4.	Public Defenders 4.1 District Public Defenders \$ 4.2 Executive Director \$ Total Public Defenders \$	843,000.00 210,000.00 1,053,000.00
5.	Comptroller of the Treasury 5.1 Division of Administration\$ 5.2 Office of Management Services 5.3 Capitol Print Shop 5.4 Division of State Audit	101,900.00 252,500.00 1,427,500.00 4,426,400.00

5.5 5.6 5.7 5.8 5.9 5.10 5.11	Division of County Audit	800,000.00 215,000.00 374,900.00 1,615,000.00 82,500.00 552,600.00 100,000.00 52,100.00
6. Treas 6.1	ury Department Treasurer's Office\$ Total Department of Treasury\$	16,760,800.00 16,760,800.00
7. Claim 7.1 7.2 7.3	s and Compensation Criminal Injuries Compensation	3,168,000.00 17,300,000.00 51,167,700.00 71,635,700.00 138,079,600.00
2.	Executive Offices	,,
1. Comn 1.1 1.2 1.3 1.4 1.5 1.6 1.7 1.8 1.9 1.10 1.11 1.12 1.13	Commission on Children and Youth	9,196,000.00 25,713,200.00 2,193,000.00 433,900.00 1,964,100.00 45,000.00 265,262,200.00 646,400.00 354,100.00 16,400.00 15,000.00 30,626,800.00 50,000.00 336,516,100.00
2. Depart 2.1 2.2 2.3 2.4 2.5 2.6 2.7	rtment of Finance and Administration  Division of Administration	8,975,300.00 123,366,100.00 4,182,400.00 10,234,600.00 27,367,100.00 3,670,800.00 5,193,700.00 182,990,000.00
3. Depar 3.1 3.2 3.3	rtment of Personnel Executive Administration\$ Human Resource Development Technical Services Total Department of Personnel\$	700,600.00 1,845,000.00 2,047,900.00 4,593,500.00

4.	Department of General Services		
••	4.1 Administration\$	3,848,300.00	
	4.2 Postal Services	16,552,500.00	
	4.3 Property Utilization	1,859,000.00	
	4.4 Motor Vehicle Management	29,757,900.00	
	4.5 Property Management	10,953,000.00	
	4.6 Printing	4,271,300.00	
	4.7 Purchasing	4,052,200.00	
	4.8 Systems Management	2,298,200.00	
	4.9 Central Stores	7,885,700.00	
	4.10 Records Management	1,270,400.00	
	4.11 Food Services Program	4,810,000.00	
	Total Department of General Services\$	87,558,500.00	
5.	Department of Veterans Affairs\$	442,700.00	
6.	Office of Homeland Security	1,187,100.00	
	Total Title III-2\$	613,287,900.00	
	3. Department of Agriculture		
1.	Administration and Grants\$	4,539,000.00	
2.	Regulatory Services	, ,	5,952,90
3.	Market Development	437,600.00	, ,
4.	Forestry Operations		7,695,80
5.	Grain Indemnity Fund	126,700.00	
6.	Agricultural Regulatory Fund	120,000.00	
	Total Title III-3\$	18,872,000.00	
	4. Department of Tourist Development		
1.	Administration and Marketing\$	2,010,000.00	
2.	Welcome Centers	, ,	4,566,80
	Total Title III-4\$	6,576,800.00	
	5. Department of Environment and Conservation		
1.	Administrative Services\$	7,241,000.00	
2.	Recreation Educational Services	4,439,400.00	
3.	Historical Commission	630,100.00	
4.	Land and Water Conservation Fund	750,000.00	
5.	Archaeology	167,600.00	
6.	Geology		155,600
7.	State Parks	31,817,300.00	
8.	Natural Heritage		383,800
9.	State Parks Maintenance	1,849,600.00	
10.	Elk River Resource Management	1,111,200.00	
11.	West Tennessee River Basin Authority	291,800.00	
12.	Environment Administration	3,239,400.00	40
13.	Air Pollution Control		10,737,1
14.	Radiological Health	0.000 100 00	4,549,10
15.	Water Pollution Control	9,999,400.00	
16.	Solid Waste Management	8,150,400.00	

17. 18. 19. 20. 21. 22. 23. 24.	DOE Oversight Hazardous Waste Remedial Action Fund Water Supply Groundwater Protection Underground Storage Tanks Community Assistance Used Oil Collection Program State Lands Compensation Fund	6,091,000.00 10,004,300.00 5,324,500.00 6,315,200.00 2,248,300.00 45,712,900.00 234,000.00 40,000.00
	Total Title III-5\$	161,483,000.00
	6. Wildlife Resources Agency	
1.	Wildlife Resources Agency\$	14,784,400.00
2.	Boating Safety	2,778,300.00
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	Total Title III-6\$	17,562,700.00
	7. Department of Correction	
1. 2.	Administration \$ Correction Academy	4,661,300.00 64,900.00
3.	Wayne County Boot Camp	342,500.00
3. 4.	Brushy Mountain Correctional Complex	1,144,900.00
5.	Tennessee Prison for Women	840,100.00
6.	Turney Center Industrial Prison and Farm	984,500.00
7.	Mark Luttrell Correctional Facility	542,000.00
7. 8.	Middle Tennessee Correctional Complex	1,131,800.00
9.	Southeastern Tennessee State Regional Correctional Facility	788,100.00
9. 10.	West Tennessee State Penitentiary	1,320,200.00
11.	Riverbend Maximum Security Institution	426,900.00
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13.	Northeast Correctional Complex	1,316,500.00 18,700.00
13. 14.	Northwest Correctional Complex	1,735,400.00
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15. 16.	Lois M. DeBerry Special Needs Facility  Hardeman County Incarceration Agreement	397,400.00
10. 17.	Federal Construction Grants	18,900.00 15,310,000.00
18.	Hardeman County Agreement – Whiteville	18,700.00
10.	nardeman County Agreement – whiteville	16,700.00
	Total Title III-7\$	31,062,800.00
	8. Department of Economic and Community Development	
1.	Administrative Services\$	272,800.00
2.	Industrial Development	163,000.00
3.	Regional Grants Management	32,027,600.00
4.	Business Services	, ,
5.	Community Development	1,708,200.00
6.	Energy Division	, ,
7.	FastTrack Infrastructure Development Program	32,000.00
8.	Job Skills Fund	9,484,500.00
9.	Small and Minority-Owned Telecommunications Program	80,100.00
	Total Title III-8\$	46,544,400.00

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1.	Administration\$	1,089,500.00	
2.	Training and Professional Development	2,079,600.00	
3.	Curriculum and Instruction	53,847,300.00	
4.	Improving School Programs	33,335,700.00	
5.	School Nutrition Programs	205,351,300.00	
6.	Special Education Services	215,000,000.00	
7.	Vocational Education Programs	30,283,700.00	
8.	Alvin C. York Institute	856,100.00	
9.	Tennessee School for the Blind	864,500.00	
10.	Tennessee School for the Deaf	487,600.00	
11.	West Tennessee School for the Deaf	198,600.00	
12.	Tennessee Infant-Parent Services School	10,136,600.00	
13.	Accountability	2,563,000.00	
14.	ESEA No Child Left Behind	298,950,200.00	
15.	Technology, Infrastructure, and Support Systems	1,129,900.00	
	Total Title III-9\$	856,173,600.00	
	10. Higher Education		
1.	Tennessee Higher Education Commission\$	1,574,100.00	
2.	Tennessee Student Assistance Awards	1,562,400.00	
3.	Federal Family Education Loan Program (FFELP)	100,000,000.00	
4.	Tennessee Student Assistance Corporation	15,597,800.00	
5.	Academic Scholars Program	378,700.00	
6.	Loan/Scholarship Programs	913,500.00	
7.	THEC Grants	1,286,900.00	
	Total Title III-10\$	121,313,400.00	
	11. Department of Commerce and Insurance		
1.	Administration\$	4,283,800.00	
2.	Insurance		7,055,70
3.	Fire Prevention	13,377,400.00	
4.	Securities		1,657,20
5.	Regulatory Boards		463,300
6.	TennCare Oversight	2,705,500.00	_ ]
7.	Consumer Affairs		21,200.0
8.	Fire and Codes Enforcement Academy	939,500.00	
	Total Title III-11\$	30,503,600.00	
	12. Department of Financial Institutions\$	3,967,800.00	
	Total Title III-12\$	3,967,800.00	
	13. Department of Labor and Workforce Development		
1.	Administration\$	5,720,400.00	
2.	Tennessee Occupational Safety and Health		
	Administration (TOSHA)	3,578,000.00	
3.	Workers' Compensation	32,000.00	
4.	Mines	250,300.00	
5.	Boilers and Elevators	3,088,500.00	

6. 7.		Standardsyment and Training	68,516,900.00	177,500
8.	Secon	d Injury Fund		175,000
9. 10.		Basic Educationyment Security	16,075,100.00 71,819,300.00	
		Total Title III-13\$	169,433,000.00	
	14.	Department of Mental Health and Developmental Disabilities		
1.	Admin	istration		
	1.1	Administrative Services Division \$ Total Administration \$	3,383,300.00 3,383,300.00	
2.	Menta	I Health Services		
	2.1	Mental Health Services Administration\$	614,100.00	
	2.2	Community Mental Health Services	10,771,300.00	
	2.3	Lakeshore Mental Health Institute	16,546,200.00	
	2.4	Middle Tennessee Mental Health Institute	27,577,800.00	
	2.5	Western Mental Health Institute	23,574,900.00	
	2.6	Moccasin Bend Mental Health Institute	16,130,800.00	
	2.7	Memphis Mental Health Institute	11,797,100.00	
		Total Mental Health Services	107,012,200.00	
		Total Title III-14\$	110,395,500.00	
	15.	Department of Military		
1.	Admin	istration\$	548,800.00	
2.		National Guard	7,248,400.00	
3.		tional Guard	.,,	10,524,1
4.		ssee Emergency Management Agency	59,399,600.00	- , - ,
5.		ies Maintenance	3,104,500.00	
6.		Disaster Relief Grants	5,000,000.00	
7.	Armor	ies Utilities	, ,	1,349,80
		Total Title III-15\$	87,175,200.00	
	16.	Department of Health	, ,	
1.		istration		
	1.1	Executive Administration\$	850,300.00	
	1.2	Administrative Services	1,061,700.00	
	1.3	Division of Technology	77,300.00	
	1.4	Policy Planning and Assessment	4,568,600.00	
		Total Administration\$	6,557,900.00	
2.	Manpo	ower Resources and Facilities		
	2.1	Bureau of Health Licensure and Regulation\$	7,797,900.00	
	2.2	Emergency Medical Services	1,328,600.00	
	2.3	Laboratory Services	9,474,700.00	
	-	Total Manpower Resources and Facilities\$	18,601,200.00	
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3.		nunity Health Services  General Environmental Health	20 600 00	
	3.1	General Environmental Health\$	28,600.00	
	3.2	Health Services Administration	1,287,700.00	

	3.3 Maternal and Child Health	
	3.5 Population-Based Services	
	3.6 Women, Infants, and Children (WIC)	
	Total Community Health Services	
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4.	Local Health	
	4.1 Local Health Services	\$ 122,132,700.00
	Total Local Health	\$ 122,132,700.00
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5.	Alcohol and Drug Abuse Services	Φ 00.050.000.00
	5.1 Alcohol and Drug Abuse Services	
	Total Alcohol and Drug Abuse Services	\$ 33,950,200.00
	Total Title III-16	\$ 361,674,300.00
	17. Department of Human Services	
1.	Administration	
1.	1.1 Administration	\$ 33,285,700.00
	1.2 Field Operations	. , ,
	1.3 County Rentals	
	Total Administration	
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2.	Family Assistance Services	
	2.1 Child Support	\$ 60,405,500.00
	2.2 Temporary Cash Assistance	
	2.3 Family Assistance Services	
	2.4 Food Stamp Coupons	740,000,000.00
	Total Family Assistance Services	\$ 1,003,696,200.00
3.	Social Services	
ა.		\$ 295 102 600 00
	3.1 Community Services	
	Total Social Services	,
	Total Social Services	φ 203,290,400.00
4.	Rehabilitative Services	
	4.1 Vocational Rehabilitation	\$ 64,433,100.00
	4.2 Disability Determination	
	Total Rehabilitative Services	
	Total Title III-17	\$ 1,453,173,900.00
	18. Department of Revenue	
1.	Administration Division	\$ 2,160,000.00
1. 2.	Tax Enforcement Division	
2. 3.	Information Technology Resources Division	
3. 4.	Taxpayer Services Division	
4. 5.	Audit Division	•
5. 6.	Processing Division	
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	Total Title III-18	\$ 18,800,400.00
	19. Tennessee Bureau of Investigation	\$ 19,100,900.00

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	Total Title III-19\$	19,100,900.00	
	20. Department of Safety		
1. 2. 3.	Administration\$ Driver License IssuanceHighway Patrol	496,000.00 17,557,100.00 9,659,900.00	
4. 5. 6. 7.	Auto Theft Investigations	350,100.00 60,000.00 904,900.00 7,580,000.00	7,000,44
8.	Technical Services\$	44,247,100.00	7,639,10
	21. Department of Children's Services	44,247,100.00	
1.	Administration\$	21,306,200.00	
2. 3. 4.	Family Support Services Custody Services	11,669,000.00	133,900
4. 5. 6. 7. 8.	Adoption Services	101,862,400.00 269,000.00 432,600.00 308,900.00	18,028,3
9. 10. 11. 12.	Mountain View Youth Development Center	245,800.00 3,033,900.00 271,300.00 58,400.00	
	Total Title III-21\$	291,385,900.00	
	22. Board of Probation and Parole		
1.	Probation and Parole Services\$	440,000.00	
	Total Title III-22\$	440,000.00	
	23. Department of Finance and Administration – Mental Retardation		
1. 2. 3. 4. 5.	Mental Retardation Administration	8,835,600.00 2,092,100.00 349,047,000.00 82,382,700.00 54,037,200.00 71,945,400.00	
	Total Title III-23\$	568,340,000.00	
	24. Department of Finance and Administration – TennCare Program		
1. 2.	TennCare Administration\$ TennCare Services	121,052,100.00	3,974,85
3. 4.	Waiver and Crossover Services Long Term Care Services	460,508,600.00 811,180,300.00	

	Total Title III-24\$	5,367,596,900.00	
	25. Department of Transportation		
1.	Highway Maintenance\$	1,100,000.00	
2.	Highway Betterments	100,000.00	
3.	State Aid		8,759,00
4.	State Industrial Access	200,000.00	
5.	Local Interstate Connectors	1,475,000.00	
6.	Mass Transit	17,811,000.00	
7.	Planning and Research	12,100,000.00	
8.	Interstate Construction	135,200,000.00	
9.	Forest Highways		700,000
10.	State Highway Construction	525,900,000.00	
11.	Bridge Replacement	91,100,000.00	
12.	Air, Water, and Rail Transportation	19,600,000.00	
	Total Title III-25\$	814,045,000.00	
	26. Facilities Revolving Fund		
1.	General Services Operating Maintenance\$	41,678,400.00	
2.	General Services Project Maintenance	1,700,000.00	
3.	Facilities Management	40,500,000.00	
4.	Capital Projects	6,240,000.00	
5.	Debt Service	20,500,000.00	
	Total Title III-26\$	110,618,400.00	

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### **REFUND OF RECEIPTS**

#### SECTION 5.

Item 1. There is hereby appropriated the necessary and sufficient sums to refund any collection or part thereof made erroneously or illegally for the use or benefit of the state or any of its departments, institutions, offices or agencies. Such refunds shall be made in accordance with existing law as applicable in any particular case. In case revenues are not adequate to meet in full all appropriations made, the appropriations made for Sinking Fund Debt Service and the amounts necessary to cover the salary and wage obligations of the state shall have preferential payment.

Item 2. With respect to any revenues or receipts collected by any department or agency with the exception of those collected by the Department of Revenue, notwithstanding any provisions of the law to the contrary, such amounts as are determined to have been erroneously paid may be refunded by such procedure as may be approved by the Commissioner of Finance and Administration and the Comptroller of the Treasury.

SECTION 6. In addition to the appropriations made to the State Funding Board in Section 1, Title III-30, of this act, there is appropriated the following items:

Item 1. There is hereby appropriated a sum sufficient from the internal service funds available to the Department of Finance and Administration, Office

of Information Resources, to provide the debt service on general obligation bond and note issues authorized in the following amounts:

(1)	Chapter 850, Public Acts of 1994	\$ 13,800,000.00
(2)	Chapter 952, Public Acts of 1996	\$ 20,000,000.00

Item 2. From the funds appropriated in Section 1, Title III-30, Item 6, Amortization of Authorized and Unissued Highway Bonds, the sum of \$74,000,000.00 is appropriated in lieu of issuing highway bonds authorized under the provisions of Chapter 952, Public Acts of 1996. The State Funding Board shall take the necessary action to cancel the unissued bonds.

Item 3. For the purpose of defraying the costs of issuance of debt and the administration of authorized programs of the Tennessee Local Development Authority, there is hereby appropriated to the Tennessee Local Development Authority an amount not to exceed \$25,000.00 from the State Loan Program Fund. Such amounts shall be determined as necessary by the State Funding Board and the Tennessee Local Development Authority.

Item 4. In addition to the appropriation made in Section 1, Title III-30, there is hereby appropriated a sum sufficient to pay for debt service attributable to any obligations issued pursuant to Chapter 850, Public Acts of 1994; Chapter 945, Public Acts of 1996; Chapter 952, Public Acts of 1996; and Chapter 990, Public Acts of 1996. Said appropriation shall be derived from excess revenues generated by Chapter 1029, Public Acts of 1992, and from revenues, fees or other funds resulting from the development and operations of facilities funded under the provisions of Chapter 850, Public Acts of 1994; Chapter 945, Public Acts of 1996; Chapter 952, Public Acts of 1996; and Chapter 990, Public Acts of 1996, and any other amounts which may be appropriated therefor. Pursuant to procedures as may be determined by the Commissioner of Finance and Administration, such debt service payments shall be transferred to the debt service fund.

Subject to the approval of the Commissioner of Finance and Administration, there is hereby authorized to be expended from available funds of the state such amounts as may be necessary to pay debt service on any obligations issued pursuant to Chapter 850, Public Acts of 1994; Chapter 945, Public Acts of 1996; Chapter 952, Public Acts of 1996; and Chapter 990, Public Acts of 1996, prior to commencement of operations of any such facilities; provided, however, any state funds utilized for this purpose, shall, together with interest thereon, be repaid from such facilities revenues pursuant to terms and conditions as may be prescribed by the State Funding Board.

Item 5. In addition to the appropriation made in Section 1, Title III-30, there is hereby appropriated a sum sufficient from revenues, fees or other funds derived from the development and operations of new state golf courses on state property to pay for the operations of such golf courses and debt service attributable to any obligations issued therefor pursuant to Chapter 528, Public Acts of 1993. Pursuant to procedures as may be determined by the Commissioner of Finance and Administration, such debt service payments shall be transferred to the debt service fund.

Subject to the approval of the Commissioner of Finance and Administration, there is hereby authorized to be expended from available funds of the state such amounts as may be necessary to pay debt service on any obligations issued pursuant to Chapter 528, Public Acts of 1993, prior to

commencement of operations of any such golf course; provided, however, any state funds utilized for this purpose shall, together with interest thereon, be repaid from such golf course's revenues pursuant to terms and conditions as may be prescribed by the State Funding Board.

It is hereby declared to be the legislative intent that in determining the feasibility of any new golf course as contemplated by Chapter 528, Public Acts of 1993, the Department of Environment and Conservation and the State Building Commission shall take into consideration the repayment of any debt service payments made from state funds pursuant to the authority of this section.

Item 6. From the appropriation made in Section 1, Title III-30, of this act to the State Funding Board, the sum of \$3,982,000 is earmarked to pay debt service on general obligation bonds issued under the authority of Chapter 582, Public Acts of 1996, for the purpose of making a grant to the Metropolitan Government of Nashville and Davidson County for the construction of a sports stadium. It is the legislative intent that said appropriations shall be funded first from the sales tax revenues allocated under the provisions of Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 67-6-103(d)(1), and any revenues in excess of debt service requirements shall be reserved at June 30 and not revert to the fund balance and that said appropriations, to the extent required, shall be funded second from revenues and reserves available to the debt service fund.

Item 7. From the funds appropriated in Sections 1 and 4 of this act to provide for defraying expenses of state government with respect to leased facilities in this act and other acts of the legislature, the Commissioner of Finance and Administration, with the approval of the state building commission, is authorized to transfer a sum or sums sufficient to the debt service fund as required for any debt issued under the authorization of Chapter 338, Public Acts of 2003.

Item 8. To provide the debt service on the general obligation bonds authorized under Chapter 313, Public Acts of 2003, there is hereby appropriated a sum sufficient from the funds available to the state funding board pursuant to agreements entered into thereunder.

Item 9. From the funds appropriated in Section 1 and Section 4 of this act to the Tennessee Board of Regents for defraying operating expenses in this act and other acts of legislature, with the approval of the State Building Commission a sum sufficient is appropriated to be used for payments to the State Funding Board as required for any debt issued under the authorization of Chapter 313, Public Acts of 2003.

Item 10. In addition to the appropriations made in Section 1, Title III-30, of this act to the State Funding Board, and to the extent that the board issues any tax revenue anticipation notes pursuant to the provisions of Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 9-9-301, there is hereby appropriated a sum sufficient from subsequently available funds of the state to pay debt service on such notes within the fiscal year of issuance.

SECTION 7. The appropriations made by this act under Sections 1 and 4 shall be subject to the following provisions, limitations, or restrictions. From the funds appropriated to the:

Item 1. It is the legislative intent that annual dues assessed by the Council of State Governments (CSG) and the National Conference of State

Legislatures (NCSL) be paid quarterly and timely from the funds appropriated in Section 1, Title III-2, Item 1.2 (Intergovernmental Conferences). CSG dues for 2004-2005 shall be remitted in four (4) equal payments \$29,835.25 (\$119,341 annualized), and NCSL dues shall be remitted in four (4) equal payments \$36,112.75 (\$144,451 annualized).

Item 2. From the appropriation made for the State Election Commission under Section 1, Title III-1, Item 3.2, there is hereby appropriated funds for expenses of the State Election Commission, including the printing of election laws, the office of the Coordinator of Elections, and other expenses of administering election laws. The salary of each member of the State Election Commission shall be seven thousand two hundred dollars (\$7,200.00) annually, except that the Chairman shall be paid an additional one thousand eight hundred dollars (\$1,800.00) annually for additional duties required of him and the Secretary shall be paid an additional one thousand two hundred dollars (\$1,200.00) annually for additional duties required of him. The Secretary of State is hereby authorized to make all necessary purchases of election supplies from funds appropriated for such purpose in accordance with state purchasing procedures.

Item 3. From the funds appropriated to the Office of the Comptroller of the Treasury and the Department of Finance and Administration, there is hereby authorized to be allocated an amount not to exceed \$45,000.00 for the purpose of meeting the State of Tennessee's participation in the cost of supporting the National Council on Governmental Accounting or a governmental accounting standards board in the establishment of governmental accounting standards and principles.

Item 4. Maintenance of the Governor's Mansion in the amount of forty-eight thousand dollars (\$48,000.00) per year, and travel expenses as certified by the Governor, shall be paid monthly by the Commissioner of Finance and Administration from the appropriations made under Section 1, Title III-2, Item 1.1 for the Governor's Office, it being the legislative intent that the mansion should be maintained and operated as the official residence and office of the Chief Executive of Tennessee in a manner required of the Office of Governor.

Item 5. Tennessee Arts Commission in Section 1, Title III-2, Item 2.10, the sum of \$80,000.00 is hereby appropriated for the purpose of making a grant to Fisk University for the necessary staff, services and other costs associated with maintaining and showing the Stieglitz Collection at Fisk University. It is the legislative intent that this appropriation is a direct appropriation grant and that it be processed accordingly by the Commissioner of Finance and Administration. This appropriation is made under the provisions of Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 4-20-202.

Item 6. Tennessee Arts Commission in Section 1, Title III-2, Item 2.10, the grant to the Knoxville Arts Council for ticket subsidies for students in East Tennessee shall provide for a sub-grant to the Allied Arts of Greater Chattanooga. It is the legislative intent that the grant be shared on a per student basis.

Item 7. Department of Finance and Administration in Section 1, Title III-2, Item 3, there is hereby earmarked a sum sufficient from the proceeds of the \$15.00 privilege tax on marriage licenses for purposes of funding family violence shelters and shelter services. This appropriation is made under the provisions of Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 67-4-411.

- Item 8. Board of Probation and Parole in Section 1, Title III-23, Item 2, the board is authorized to make a grant of up to \$182,000 to "Project Return".
- Item 9. Board of Probation and Parole in Section 1, Title III-23, Item 2, the sum of \$136,500 is for the sole purpose of making a grant in such amount to Dismas, Inc., to be used for assisting with their programs in the State of Tennessee, and for no other purpose. From the funds appropriated to Dismas, Inc., there is earmarked the sum of \$25,000 to Chattanooga Endeavors (formerly Dismas House of Chattanooga) and \$8,000 to Better Decisions (formerly DECISIONS, a program of the DISMAS, Inc. home office) for the sole purpose of maintaining operations at their former level.
- Item 10. Department of Economic and Community Development in Section 1, Title III-8, the amount of \$100,000.00 is to be paid to the Nashville Business Development Center and the amount of \$100,000.00 is to be paid to the Memphis Business Development Corporation as direct appropriation grants.
- Item 11. Commission on Fire Fighting Personnel Standards and Education in Section 1, Title III-11, Item 3, funds are earmarked for payment to eligible units of local government to pay bonus supplements to firemen who successfully complete during calendar year 2004 an in-service training program appropriate to such fireman's rank and responsibility and the size and location of his department of at least forty (40) hours duration at a school established or certified by such commission. The funds appropriated by this item shall be disbursed in accordance with the provisions of Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 4, Chapter 24 and Section 56-4-205(c), and no supplement to any person shall exceed three hundred and eighty nine dollars (\$389.00).
- Item 12. Department of Health in Section 1, Title III-16, the amount of \$113,700 is to be paid to St. Jude Hospital in Memphis to defray, in whole or in part, the expenses of patients and their families who are citizens and residents of Tennessee in traveling to and from St. Jude Hospital. Such payments shall be administered by the hospital and shall be made on the basis of need. Such patients, or their families, requesting assistance from these funds shall supply such documents supporting need and travel expenses as the hospital may require.
- Item 13. POST Commission in Section 1, Title III-20, Item 8, funds are earmarked for payment to eligible units of local government which have required all police officers to complete during calendar year 2003 an in-service training course appropriate to each officer's rank and responsibility commensurate with the size and location of his department of at least forty (40) hours duration at a school certified or recognized by the Peace Officer Standards and Training Commission. The funds appropriated by this item shall be disbursed in accordance with the provisions of Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 38, Chapter 8, Part 1, and no recipient shall be eligible to receive a supplement of more than five hundred eighteen dollars and seventy cents (\$518.70) pursuant to such appropriation.
- Item 14. Department of Children's Services in Section 1, Title III-22, the sum of \$530,000.00 is hereby appropriated to fund child abuse prevention services. It is the legislative intent to fund the program established under the provisions of Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 71, Chapter 6, Part 2 (Chapter 930, Public Acts of 1984).

Item 15. From the appropriation in Section 1, Title III-26, for the Emergency and Contingency Fund, there is hereby appropriated an amount not to exceed three hundred nineteen thousand three hundred dollars (\$319,300.00) for the following purposes: (1) forest fire control in the Division of Forestry, (2) payment of indemnities for destruction of livestock and extraordinary veterinary payrolls for cattle market fluctuations by the Department of Agriculture, (3) payment of extraordinary expenditures for insect and pest control efforts by the Department of Agriculture, and (4) the cost of personnel and equipment needed to restore law and order in instances arising out of civil disorders.

SECTION 8. In addition to the appropriations made in Section 1 of this act and subject to the provisions of Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 4, Chapter 3, Part 10 and Title 9, Chapter 4, Part 51, there is hereby appropriated a sum sufficient:

Item 1. To pay all lawful claims due from the state to any of the several counties thereof on account of unpaid court costs, unpaid allotments of taxes distributable by the state to the counties and such other sums as may be due from the state to the counties, but none of such funds shall be distributed to the counties of the state until after the validity of the claims has been investigated and approved by the State Comptroller and the Governor. Provided, however, that such funds shall not include funds due to counties and cities for the state share of costs to cities and counties as required by Section 24, Article II, of the Constitution of Tennessee.

Item 2. To the Tennessee Code Commission for the following purposes: (1) to purchase pocket supplements for the state-owned sets of Tennessee Code Annotated; (2) to purchase replacement volumes for state-owned sets of Tennessee Code Annotated; (3) to purchase replacement sets of Tennessee Code Annotated; (4) to purchase sets of Tennessee Code Annotated for judges of new courts created during the 2004 Session of the General Assembly; (5) to purchase pocket supplements for the state-owned sets of the Index to the Private Acts of Tennessee; and (6) to pay for proofreading and other expenses involved in preparing supplements and replacement volumes for Tennessee Code Annotated.

Item 3. To pay the salaries and travel expenses of all persons appointed to sit as Special Judges, Special District Attorneys General and/or Special Prosecutors under statutes relating to the state judicial system.

Item 4. To provide for indigent defendants counsel in capital cases.

Item 5. To pay fees of special counsel who may be employed by the Governor, on recommendation of the Attorney General, and to pay other expenses in special cases of litigation involving the state. In matters involving the Tennessee Regulatory Authority, Housing Development Agency, Wildlife Resources Agency, financial institutions, regulatory boards and other programs and agencies funded by earmarked or dedicated revenues, the sum sufficient appropriation shall be provided from said earmarked or dedicated revenues. In matters involving departments, agencies and/or programs funded in whole or in part with federal aid and/or departmental revenues and reserves, the sum sufficient appropriation may be provided in whole or in part from said revenues and reserves.

Item 6. To the Administrative Office of the Courts from the "Divorcing Parent Education and Mediation Fund" and the "Marriage License Tax" to

administer and fund the provisions of Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 36-6-413(b)(5).

- Item 7. To the Attorney General and Reporter from the False Claims Act Fund established pursuant to Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 4-18-104(j). The Commissioner of Finance and Administration is authorized to adjust the appropriation made under Section 1, Title III-1, Item 1.1, of this act to recognize any reimbursement for expenses already provided.
- Item 8. To the Registry of Election Finance from the lobbyist registration fees collected by the agency.
- Item 9. To provide for payment of administrative law judge services. The Commissioner of Finance and Administration is authorized to allocate the funds to the appropriate organizational units and to adjust departmental revenues accordingly.
- Item 10. To the Tennessee Local Development Agency a sum sufficient from the Underground Storage Tank Fund for the purpose of paying debt service and expenses in connection with any debt issued pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 444, Public Acts of 1997, relative to underground storage tanks.
- Item 11. To the Health Services and Development Agency a sum sufficient from revenues collected by the agency for the purpose of paying indirect costs allocated to the agency and to pay audit costs.
- Item 12. To the Department of Finance and Administration to provide for payments to the State Office Buildings and Support Facilities Revolving Fund for spaces occupied by the Tennessee State Museum and for other areas within the Tennessee Performing Arts Center.
- Item 13. To the Office of Information Resources from the general obligation bonds/notes authorized under Chapter 850, Public Acts of 1994; and Chapter 952, Public Acts of 1996, for data processing services and telecommunications services.
- Item 14. To the Department of Finance and Administration to reimburse the federal government for arbitrage on the state's general obligation debt.
- Item 15. To the Department of Finance and Administration from the litigation tax imposed to fund grants to local governments to purchase and maintain electronic fingerprint imaging systems. It is the legislative intent that the appropriations for this purpose be adjusted to equal the available earmarked revenue.
- Item 16. To the Department of Finance and Administration from the revenues allocated to the domestic violence community education fund under the provisions of Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 36-3-616.
- Item 17. To the Department of Veterans Affairs for operation of cemeteries to offset any undercollection of departmental revenues appropriated in Section 4, Title III-2, Item 5, of this act. This appropriation shall be non-recurring.

- Item 18. To the Department of Agriculture from revenues available to the Agricultural Resources Conservation Fund under the provisions of Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 67-4-409(I).
- Item 19. To the Department of Agriculture from the Agricultural Regulatory Fund under the provisions of Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 43, Chapter 1, Part 7.
- Item 20. To the Department of Agriculture from the Certified Cotton Growers' Organization Fund under the provisions of Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 43, Chapter 6, Part 4.
- Item 21. To the Department of Agriculture from the Tennessee Grain Indemnity Fund under the provisions of Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 43, Chapter 32, Part 2.
- Item 22. To the Department of Agriculture, Market Development, from the Agricultural Development Fund under the provisions of Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 55-4-267.
- Item 23. To the Department of Environment and Conservation from revenues available to the Local Park Land Acquisition Fund and to the State Lands Acquisition Fund and the State Lands Compensation Fund under the provisions of Tennessee Code Annotated, Sections 67-4-409(i) and 67-4-409(j).
- Item 24. To the Department of Environment and Conservation for the state parks program from any revenues derived from non-profit support groups authorized under Chapter 40, Public Acts of 1993.
- Item 25. To the Department of Environment and Conservation from the Petroleum Underground Storage Tank Fund.
- Item 26. To the Department of Environment and Conservation, Environmental Protection Fund, from revenues and reserves available to the fund and departmental revenues shall be adjusted accordingly.
- Item 27. To the Department of Environment and Conservation from the Solid Waste Management Fund.
- Item 28. To the Department of Environment and Conservation from the Hazardous Waste Remedial Action Fund.
- Item 29. To the Department of Environment and Conservation from the Used Oil Collection Fund established pursuant to Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 68-211-1004.
- Item 30. To the Wildlife Resources Agency from revenues available to the Wetlands Acquisition Fund and the Wetlands Compensation Fund.
- Item 31. To the Wildlife Resources Agency from the general fund for any difference between the actual charges to the agency under the indirect cost allocation plan and the amount the TWRA can justify and continue to receive federal funds.
- Item 32. To the Wildlife Resources Agency from its own revenues to implement the programs, activities and projects approved by the Wildlife

Resources Agency Commission. The Commissioner of Finance and Administration is authorized to adjust departmental revenue accordingly and to establish positions as may be required.

- Item 33. To the Department of Economic and Community Development, Small and Minority-Owned Telecommunications Business Assistance Program, from funds allocated to the program under the provisions of Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 65-5-213.
- Item 34. To the Department of Commerce and Insurance to purchase examinations for regulatory boards. This appropriation is contingent upon the fees collected for giving examinations being in excess of the budgeted estimates.
- Item 35. To the Department of Commerce and Insurance, 911 Emergency Communications Fund, from the revenues collected under the provisions of Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 7, Chapter 86, to implement the purposes of the Chapter.
- Item 36. To the Department of Military to provide for the cost of personnel and equipment needed to maintain law and order in instances arising out of civil disorders.
- Item 37. To the Department of Military, Disaster Relief Grants, and to the Department of Human Services, Disaster Relief, for the purpose of matching federal funds and to the Department of Military to pay the administrative costs of the Disaster Relief Program. Said appropriations shall be made first from the Reserve for Disaster Relief and they are in addition to the appropriation made in Section 1, Title III-21, of this act. Federal aid and other departmental revenue may be adjusted accordingly.

Any unexpended funds remaining in the Reserve for Disaster Relief or from the appropriation made in Section 1, Title III-21, of this act, other acts of this General Assembly or acts by previous General Assemblies shall not revert to the general fund balance at June 30. Said funds are hereby reappropriated in the subsequent fiscal year. The provisions of this item shall take effect upon becoming law, the public welfare requiring it.

- Item 38. To the Department of Health from the "Nursing Home Resident Protection Trust Fund" under the provisions of Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 68-11-827.
- Item 39. To the Department of Health from funds available under the Health Access Act of 1989, Tennessee Code Annotated, Sections 66-29-121 and 66-29-151.
- Item 40. To the Department of Health from the "Child Safety Fund" to administer and fund the provisions of Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 55-9-602(f)(7).
- Item 41. To the Department of Health from the "Alcohol and Drug Addiction Treatment Fund" to administer and fund the provisions of Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 40-33-211(c)(2).
- Item 42. To the Department of Health from the Traumatic Brain Injury Fund to allow for the provision of enhanced and/or new services which benefit traumatic brain injury persons and their families as authorized in Tennessee

- Code Annotated, Title 68, Chapter 55. Any additional appropriations provided under this item would be on a non-recurring basis from carry-forward funds which exist in the Traumatic Brain Injury Fund and would be subject to approval of the Commissioner of Finance and Administration.
- Item 43. To the Department of Health, Health Related Boards, and to the Department of Commerce and Insurance, Division of Regulatory Boards, for data processing systems development and implementation. Said appropriations are subject to the provisions of Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 4-3-1011.
- Item 44. To the Department of Human Services for administration of the Child Care Facilities Loan Guarantee Program. Said appropriation shall come from interest earnings allocated to the program under the provisions of Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 4-37-110.
- Item 45. To the Department of Revenue to pay interest, attorney fees and other costs which are due with certain taxpayer refund payments.
- Item 46. To the Tennessee Bureau of Investigation from the dedicated revenues and departmental revenues collected pursuant to Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 40-32-101(d)(2), for the purpose of maintaining the expunged criminal offender and pretrial diversion database and other systems.
- Item 47. To the Department of Safety (a) from the Motorcycle Rider Safety reserve fund under the provisions of Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 55-51-104; (b) from the Driver Education reserve fund under the provisions of Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 67-4-606(2)(B); and (c) from the C.I.D. Anti-Theft reserve fund under the provisions of Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 55-3-208.
- Item 48. To the Department of Transportation for payments to the Claims Award Fund. Said appropriation shall be made from the highway fund balance.
- Item 49. To the Department of Transportation, Division of Air, Water and Rail, from the Transportation Equity Fund. This appropriation is subject to the availability of revenue in the fund.
- Item 50. To the Department of Environment and Conservation from the Drycleaner Environmental Response Fund.
- Item 51. To the Administrative Office of the Courts from the Tennessee Judicial Information System Fund under the provisions of Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 16-3-807.
- Item 52. To the Tennessee Advisory Commission on Intergovernmental Relations (TACIR) from the TACIR reserves authorized by Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 4-10-107.
- Item 53. To the Department of Health from the "Medicaid Nursing Home Trust Fund" revenues and reserves.
- Item 54. To meet obligations of the program created in T.C.A. Title 49, Chapter 7, Part 8.

- SECTION 9. In addition to the appropriations made in Section 4 of this act and subject to the provisions of Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 4, Chapter 3, Part 10 and Title 9, Chapter 4, Part 51, there is hereby appropriated a sum sufficient:
  - Item 1. To the Attorney General and Reporter, if the appropriation made in Section 4, Title III-1, Item 1.1, shall prove inadequate to allow the Attorney General and Reporter to represent the state agencies and officials before the Claims Commission, or state agencies and officials in other cases of litigation or other legal matters. The Commissioner of Finance and Administration, upon the request of the Attorney General and Reporter, is hereby authorized to increase the departmental revenue estimate by an amount sufficient to provide for such representation and to establish positions as may be required.
  - Item 2. To the Attorney General and Reporter from the attorneys' fees and expenses of litigation awarded under the provisions of Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 67-1-1803(d), or any other fees and expenses awarded to the Attorney General and Reporter. The Commissioner of Finance and Administration is authorized to adjust the appropriation made under Section 1, Title III-1, Item 1.1, to recognize any reimbursement for expenses already provided. The Commissioner of Finance and Administration is authorized to establish positions as may be required.
  - Item 3. To the Attorney General and Reporter a sum sufficient from the Claims Award Fund for the purposes of implementing the provisions of Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 8, Chapter 42, relative to legal representation for state employees. The Commissioner of Finance and Administration, upon the request of the Attorney General and Reporter, is authorized to establish positions as may be required to implement the provisions of Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 8, Chapter 42.
  - Item 4. To the State Treasurer, with the concurrence of the Speaker of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives, for the purpose of developing and implementing programs designed to enhance investment performance, including programs designed to recruit and retain qualified investment staff.
  - Item 5. To the State Treasurer for payment of Unclaimed Property Claims.
  - Item 6. From federal funds available to the Tennessee Housing Development Agency, there is hereby appropriated a sum sufficient to meet obligations incurred by the agency, pursuant to the federal Section 8 program.
  - Item 7. To Tennessee Rehabilitative Initiative in Correction Board (TRICOR), in an amount equal to the balance in the revolving fund, for benefit of the program.
  - Item 8. To the Tennessee State Museum from deferred revenue and departmental revenues available to the museum to be used for the purchase of artifacts.
  - Item 9. To the Department of General Services for equipment and supplies ordered but not delivered at June 30, 2004.

- Item 10. To the Department of Environment and Conservation, West Tennessee River Basin Authority, from funds provided by the counties within the authority area.
- Item 11. To the Department of Environment and Conservation from the Radiation Reclamation Trust Fund and the Perpetual Care Trust Fund under the provisions of Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 68-202-405.
- Item 12. To the Department of Economic and Community Development to meet community development block grant expenditure requirements in the 2004-2005 fiscal year. This appropriation shall be from federal aid funds.
- Item 13. To the Department of Economic and Community Development from monies received from conferences, trade missions, trade shows and other activities which reimburse the state for expenses.
- Item 14. To the Department of Economic and Community Development from interest earnings allocated to the a) FastTrack Program, b) Job Skills Fund, and c) Small Cities Community Development block grant (CDBG).
- Item 15. To the Department of Commerce and Insurance, Division of Fire Prevention, for payment of electrical inspections. This appropriation is contingent upon the fees collected for making electrical inspections being in excess of the budgeted estimate.
- Item 16. To the Department of Labor and Workforce Development from federal aid funds and other departmental revenues. Subject to this appropriation, authorized positions may be increased up to one hundred (100) positions.
- Item 17. To the Department of Mental Health and Developmental Disabilities from revenue received from behavioral health organizations and other non-state organizations for inpatient mental health services provided for publicly funded or potentially publicly funded persons.
- Item 18. To the Department of Military, TEMA and Disaster Relief Grants, and to the Department of Human Services, Disaster Relief, from federal aid disaster relief funds.
- Item 19. To the Department of Safety, the Department of Revenue, the Tennessee Bureau of Investigation, the Tennessee National Guard and the Alcoholic Beverage Commission from the proceeds of property seized and forfeited under federal procedures which are shared with the departments or the commission.
- Item 20. To the Department of Transportation from local government funds, federal aid and other departmental revenues.
- Item 21. To the Office of Homeland Security from federal grant funds and to other agencies of state government receiving homeland security federal grant funds.
- Item 22. To the State Treasurer from the revolving account created pursuant to Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 9-4-603(g). This appropriation shall take effect upon becoming law, the public welfare requiring it.
  - Item 23. To the Department of Economic and Community Development,

Small Business Energy Loan Program and Local Government Energy Loan Program.

- Item 24. To the Department of Tourist Development from revenues received from communities, businesses, non-state organizations, federal funds, and other sources of departmental revenue to be used for marketing programs of the department. Any unexpended balances at June 30 shall be carried forward in a reserve and are hereby reappropriated in the subsequent fiscal year. The provisions of this item shall take effect upon becoming law, the public welfare requiring it.
- SECTION 10. The appropriations made by this act under Sections 1 and 4 shall be subject to the following provisions, limitations, or restrictions:
  - Item 1. Notwithstanding any provision of the law to the contrary, any institution which receives state funds appropriated by the provisions of this act shall be subject to audit by the Comptroller of the Treasury as to the expenditure and obligation of such funds.
  - Item 2. Any personal services, professional services or consultant services contracts concerning management services of all types, management studies, planning services, public relations, evaluations, systems designs, data processing, auditing or accounting services entered into by an executive department or agency of state government shall be executed by the head of such department or agency and shall be subject to approval by the Commissioner of Finance and Administration and the Comptroller of the Treasury. No funds appropriated under this act to a department or agency shall be used for such contracts unless such approval is received or is otherwise authorized by the approving officials. Any such contract entered into by agencies of the legislative or judicial branches shall be subject to the approval of the Comptroller of the Treasury.
  - Item 3. No funds appropriated by this act shall be obligated and/or expended for any newsletter, periodical, or other material which is to be distributed to all, or substantially all, state employees (excluding higher education) until the agency head proposing to make such distribution contacts the two Speakers and makes available equal space for legislative information in such newsletter, periodical, or other material. This item shall not apply to policy and/or procedural directives.
  - Item 4. From the funds appropriated to the TennCare program, the state shall comply with applicable federal law.
  - Item 5. During fiscal year 2004-2005 it is the legislative intent to encourage that all conferences, workshops, meetings, seminars, programs, and similar endeavors conducted for officials and/or employees of the legislative, executive, or judicial branch of state government be conducted in state facilities whenever practicable.
  - Item 6. From the appropriation for travel expenses of Justices of the Supreme Court and for the members of the Court of Appeals and the Court of Criminal Appeals, each member of said Courts shall be reimbursed for necessary traveling expenses incurred by them during their absence from the counties of their residence on official business; provided, however, that such travel expenses shall be limited to board and lodging and mileage each way necessary to travel on official business. Any judge seeking reimbursement for official expense under

this section shall file with the Executive Secretary to the Supreme Court, or other official upon whom this duty may be lodged by law, a statement of such amounts necessarily expended by him in the discharge of such official duties and upon receipt of this verified statement, warrant for reimbursement for such expenses shall be issued.

Item 7. The Supreme Court shall fix the salaries of the marshals for the Eastern, Middle, and Western Divisions, which salary shall be payable out of the appropriations for Appellate Court Clerks.

Item 8. The commission in charge of the Supreme Court Building in Nashville, established by Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 16-3-701, is authorized to employ an experienced Engineer-Superintendent to supervise the air-conditioning and heating of the Supreme Court Building at Nashville and to employ the necessary assistants to keep and maintain the building. Payment for said services shall be paid out of the appropriations made by this act.

Light, heat and water for the Supreme Court Building in Nashville and for the Supreme Court Building in Knoxville is to be provided by the Department of General Services out of the appropriation herein made for it.

Item 9. Employees of the office of the Executive Secretary to the District Public Defender's Conference, District Public Defenders and employees of a District Public Defender's Office, as created pursuant to Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 8, Chapter 14, shall only travel and shall be reimbursed for travel expenses in accordance with the provisions of the comprehensive travel regulations promulgated by the Department of Finance and Administration and approved by the Attorney General.

Item 10. The appropriation made in Section 1, Title III-1, Item 5.9 for the Tax Relief Program, is made for the purpose of providing tax relief for elderly low-income homeowners, disabled homeowners, and disabled veteran homeowners, as provided by law. The income eligibility limit for elderly low-income homeowners and for homeowners totally and permanently disabled shall be adjusted for the fiscal year 2004-2005 under the provisions of Tennessee Code Annotated, Sections 67-5-702 and 67-5-703.

Item 11. Notwithstanding any provision of the law to the contrary, from the appropriations made for the Department of the Treasury, there is hereby appropriated funds sufficient to defray the cost of administering, on behalf of state employees compensated on the centralized state payroll system, Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 8, Chapter 25, Part 1, the same being the "Government Employees' Deferred Compensation Plan Act", and Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 8, Chapter 25, Part 3, the same being the "Profit Sharing or Salary Reduction Plans for State Employees", and Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 8-25-501, the same being a "Cafeteria Benefits Plan" for state employees.

Item 12. From the appropriation made in Section 4, Title III-1, Item 7.3, Risk Management Fund, funds may be expended to contract with a third party for claims management services.

Item 13. The Commissioner of Finance and Administration is authorized to approve an adjustment in rates charged by the Office of Information Resources and to reserve any funds needed to rebate savings to the federal government and to reallocate state appropriations between departments and to

adjust federal aid and other departmental revenue accordingly. Any adjustment of rates or reserve of funds pursuant to the provisions of this act shall be reported to the Information Systems Council.

- Item 14. Subject to the concurrence of the Commissioner of Finance and Administration, the Commissioner of Personnel is authorized to develop and implement a system whereby the cost of the Civil Service Commission and of services rendered to the Department of Personnel by the Administrative Procedures Division of the Department of State is recovered from those departments, boards and commissions to whom services are rendered.
- Item 15. The funds appropriated in Section 4, Title III-3, to the Division of Forestry, shall include the proceeds from timber sales conducted by the Department of Agriculture. It is the legislative intent that said proceeds shall be accounted for as departmental revenue.
- Item 16. From the appropriation made for the Department of Tourist Development, there is hereby appropriated a sum not to exceed twelve thousand five hundred dollars (\$12,500.00), sufficient to defray the cost of advertising and other expenses in connection with special events in which Tennessee is represented and/or events within the state for which Tennessee will act as official host. Any allotment of funds made under the authority of this section shall be made only on the approval of the Commissioner of Finance and Administration.
- Item 17. From the appropriations made in this act, there shall be paid expenses incurred by the Department of Economic and Community Development and the Department of Tourist Development, representing the state in its official capacity; provided, however, that nothing herein shall authorize the expenditure by each agency for such purposes in excess of five thousand dollars (\$5,000.00) per annum. The amount and purposes of such expenses are subject to approval by the Commissioner of Finance and Administration.
- Item 18. The revenues collected under the provisions of Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 67, Chapter 4, Part 16, are available to fund the appropriations made for the Solid Waste Assistance Fund in Section 1, Title III-5, of this act. The Commissioner of Finance and Administration shall allocate all of said revenues to the fund.
- Item 19. From the appropriations made to State Prosecutions in Section 1, Title III-7, payments to reimburse counties for housing state prisoners shall not exceed \$32.00 per inmate per day. Provided, however, the \$32.00 per inmate per day limitation on reimbursement payments shall be inapplicable to the extent the state is obligated by the specific terms of a written contract to provide reimbursement at a rate in excess of \$32.00 per inmate per day, but only to the extent of that contractual obligation.
- Item 20. Notwithstanding any provision of the law to the contrary, where a judicial proceeding is transferred from one jurisdiction to another for trial on a defendant's motion for change of venue, the limitation of five hundred dollars (\$500.00) for the board and lodging of the jury shall not apply, provided the Comptroller of the Treasury on the advice of the State Attorney General, determines that additional funds for boarding and lodging the jury are necessary.
- Item 21. The Department of Mental Health and Developmental Disabilities is authorized to expend up to one hundred fifty thousand dollars (\$150,000) in available funds for the purpose of implementing the provisions of

Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 12-4-330, and such funds are specifically appropriated for that purpose.

Item 22. Within the amount appropriated in Section 1, Title III-17, and in Section 4, Title III-17, for Temporary Assistance to Needy Families, the Commissioner of Human Services shall establish by rule or regulation, pursuant to the provisions of Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 71-3-155, to be effective July 1, 2004, the standard of need for each family size in the Families First program; provided, the maximum grant for each family size will remain at the Fiscal Year 2003-2004 established level; and, provided further that the Commissioner of Human Services, in consultation with the Commissioner of Finance and Administration, may by rule to be effective on July 1, 2004, establish certain categories of Families First recipients to whom an additional grant differential for the family size up to a maximum of fifty dollars (\$50.00) per family may be paid.

Item 23. The appropriations to the Department of Revenue under Section 1, Title III-18, provide for all the activities of the department and include amounts in lieu of percentages allowed by law on collection of certain taxes and revenues; such percentage shall be covered into and made a part of the general fund. Appropriations also include amounts for motor vehicle registration and any other activities which may be administered by the Department of Revenue and/or the Department of Safety.

Item 24. The appropriation to the Tennessee Association of Rescue Squads in Section 1, Title III-21, is for the sole purpose of maintaining a state headquarters of the association and to pay the salary of an executive director of the association and other expenses appurtenant thereto.

Item 25. Notwithstanding any provision of the law to the contrary, the Department of Transportation shall not release or make available information which reveals the amount of funding available for any project.

Item 26. No funds appropriated by the provisions of this act for any specialty license plate shall be allocated from the Department of Finance and Administration to the Department of Safety until such plate has met all statutory requirements for issuance.

Item 27. No funds appropriated by the provisions of this act to the Department of Economic and Community Development shall be used to contract for services, or to renew any contract for services, with any individual or entity if such individual or entity's position presents an actual or apparent conflict of interest between duties owed to the State of Tennessee under such contract and duties owed to any third party. It is the legislative intent that work performed under service contracts shall be performed in-house by the department to the extent possible.

Item 28. From state funds appropriated elsewhere in this act to defray the cost of the TennCare program, a sum sufficient shall be earmarked and allocated for the sole purpose of contracting with an outside vendor to electronically verify the accuracy and completeness of the TennCare database of enrollee names, places of residence, social security numbers, and death information. Such contract shall require the outside vendor to initially match the entire TennCare enrollee file against the vendor's database.

On or before December 31, 2004, the TennCare Bureau shall submit a written report to each member of the General Assembly summarizing the outside vendor's findings as well as improvements in the accuracy and completeness of the TennCare enrollee database directly resulting from the implementation of the provisions of this item.

Item 29. From funds available to the General Assembly, there is earmarked a sum sufficient for the sole purpose of funding expenses of members of the General Assembly for meetings of study committees of the General Assembly on which they serve; provided, that such expense payment is subject to approval by the Speaker of the House of Representatives and the Speaker of the Senate in accordance with Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 3-1-106.

Item 30. The General Assembly recognizes that demands on available state revenue are such that it may be necessary to establish priorities among state services and programs and to revise the methods of allocating state resources. Therefore, it is the legislative intent that local governments should consider in undertaking long-term obligations based on state payments, specifically state per diem payments for housing state inmates in local jails, that existing payments may be reduced or eliminated in the future and such not be regarded as the principal source of funding for debt repayment obligations.

Item 31. Effective July 1, 2004, there shall be established a separate allotment code for the Division of Charitable Solicitations in the Department of State to include all revenues, receipts, expenses and disbursements of the division.

Item 32. From the funds appropriated to the Department of Transportation, there is earmarked a sum sufficient for the sole purpose of implementing Senate Bill No. 3400/House Bill No. 3508, Senate Bill No. 3150/House Bill No. 3098, Senate Bill No. 2063/House Bill No. 2140, Senate Bill No. 2072/House Bill No. 2267, Senate Bill No. 3153/House Bill No. 3128, Senate Bill No. 2065/House Bill No. 2959, House Joint Resolution No. 978, House Joint Resolution No. 1078, House Joint Resolution No. 1012, House Joint Resolution No. 1013 and House Joint Resolution No. 1225, if such bills and resolutions become law.

Item 33. From the funds otherwise appropriated by the provisions of this act to the Department of Children's Services, there is hereby earmarked a sum sufficient not to exceed \$100,000 for the sole purpose of defraying extraordinary liability insurance expenses incurred by child care agencies and community mental health centers as defined in Title 33, Chapter 1, Part 1, providing services to children in state custody, to be determined and administered by the Department of Commerce and Insurance.

Item 34. From the funds otherwise appropriated by the provisions of this act, there is earmarked a sum sufficient from the funds appropriated to the Tennessee Wildlife Resources Agency for the sole purpose of implementing the provisions of Senate Bill No. 2167/House Bill No. 2672, relative to the Sundquist wildlife management area, if such bill becomes law.

Item 35. From the funds otherwise appropriated by the provisions of this act, there is earmarked a sum sufficient from the funds appropriated to the Health Services Development Agency for the sole purpose of implementing the provisions of Senate Bill No. 2423/House Bill No. 3030, relative to membership of such agency, if such bill becomes law.

- Item 36. From the funds otherwise appropriated by the provisions of this act, there is earmarked a sum sufficient from the funds appropriated to the Department of Commerce and Insurance for the sole purpose of implementing the provisions of Senate Bill No. 2429/House Bill No. 2519, relative to the Tennessee Commission on Firefighting, if such bill becomes law.
- Item 37. From the funds otherwise appropriated by the provisions of this act, there is earmarked a sum sufficient from the funds appropriated to the Department of Commerce and Insurance for the sole purpose of implementing the provisions of Senate Bill No. 3202/House Bill No. 2830, relative to state employed fire prevention and building officials, if such bill becomes law.
- Item 38. From the funds otherwise appropriated by the provisions of this act, there is earmarked a sum sufficient from the funds appropriated to the Department of Safety for the sole purpose of implementing the provisions of Senate Bill No. 3430/House Bill No. 3486, relative to the issuance of driver licenses, if such bill becomes law.
- Item 39. From the funds otherwise appropriated by the provisions of this act, there is earmarked a sum sufficient from the funds appropriated to the Comptroller of the Treasury for the sole purpose of implementing the provisions of Senate Bill No. 2351/House Bill No. 2352, relative to disabled veteran property tax relief, if such bill becomes law.
- Item 40. From the funds otherwise appropriated by the provisions of this act, there is earmarked a sum sufficient from the funds appropriated to the Tennessee Board of Regents for the sole purpose of implementing the provisions of Senate Bill No. 3297/House Bill No. 3319, relative to higher education accountability, if such bill becomes law.
- Item 41. From the funds otherwise appropriated by the provisions of this act, there is earmarked a sum sufficient from the funds appropriated to the Department of Commerce and Insurance for the sole purpose of implementing the provisions of Senate Bill No. 3252/House Bill No. 3252, relative to reporting malpractice, if such bill becomes law.
- Item 42. From the funds otherwise appropriated by the provisions of this act, there is earmarked a sum sufficient from the funds appropriated to the Comptroller of the Treasury for the sole purpose of implementing the provisions of Senate Bill No. 2664/House Bill No. 3067, relative to a report concerning the use of alternative fuels, if such bill becomes law.
- Item 43. From the funds otherwise appropriated by the provisions of this act, there is earmarked a sum sufficient from the funds appropriated to the Comptroller of the Treasury for the sole purpose of implementing the provisions of House Joint Resolution No. 1047, relative to a special joint committee on local government modernization, if such bill becomes law.
- Item 44. From the funds otherwise appropriated by the provisions of this act, there is earmarked a sum sufficient from the funds appropriated to the Department of Health for the sole purpose of implementing the provisions of Senate Bill No. 2134/House Bill No. 2249, relative to licensure investigations, if such bill becomes law.

- Item 45. From the funds otherwise appropriated by the provisions of this act, there is earmarked a sum sufficient from the funds appropriated to the Department of Military, for the sole purpose of renaming the national guard armory located in Ripley, Lauderdale County, Tennessee, as the "Phillip R. Miller/Major General Gus L. Hargett, Jr., National Guard Armory".
- Item 46. From the funds otherwise appropriated by the provisions of this act, there is earmarked a sum sufficient from the funds appropriated to the Department of Correction, for the sole purpose of formally naming the Middle Tennessee correctional complex (a reception, classification and diagnostic center located at 7177 Cockrill Bend Boulevard in Davidson County) as the "Charles B. Bass Correctional Complex".
- Item 47. From the funds otherwise appropriated by the provisions of this act to the Department of Transportation, there is earmarked the sum of \$100,000 for the sole purpose of funding the I-69 Highway Coalition.
- Item 48. The appropriation of \$500,000 made to the Department of Finance and Administration for purposes of funding performance budgeting is subject to submission and approval of a plan by the officers of the Senate and House Finance, Ways and Means Committees.
- Item 49. The appropriation made to the administrative office of the courts by the provisions of this act is reduced \$450,000. Such funding reduction is for the purpose of eliminating certain funding for indigent defense counsel in recognition of Chapter 855 of the Public Acts of 2002.
- Item 50. The appropriation made to the Department of Labor and Workforce Development in Section 1, Title III-31, Item 5, is reduced by the sum of \$260,000. Such funding reduction is for the purpose of eliminating state capital outlay funds for the career center.
- Item 51. From the funds appropriated by the provisions of Section 1, Title III-21, Item 27, there is earmarked the sum of \$350,000 to be allocated to the General Assembly for legislative systems.
- Item 52. There is hereby appropriated to the Department of Correction the sum of \$515,800 from the 1985 Sentencing Act to be allocated for the sole purpose of funding the Turney Center operational improvements. Any funds otherwise appropriated by this act for such improvements are reduced accordingly.
- Item 53. It is the legislative intent that the appropriation of \$500,000 for Teach Tennessee be non-recurring.
- Item 54. From the funds appropriated by the provisions of Section 1, Title III-21, Item 14, and other provisions of this act for state employee classification compensation, there is earmarked a sum sufficient to be allocated to the General Assembly for the sole purpose of compensation adjustments.
- Item 55. Out of funds appropriated to the Tennessee Higher Education Commission for reimbursement of state employees tuition free course reimbursements, under Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 8-50-114, there is appropriated a proportionate amount to cover eligible expenses of the Tennessee Foreign Language Institute under the provisions of Senate Bill No. 3016/House Bill No. 2867.

Item 56. The appropriation made to the Tennessee Regulatory Authority by the provisions of this act is reduced by the sum of \$100,000. This sum is the proposed improvement to update the Do Not Call Registry.

Item 57. The incoming president of the University of Tennessee should review the existing revitalization plan for the University of Tennessee Space Institute, update the plan as appropriate, and submit the revised plan to the Chairs of the Senate and House Education Committees on or before December 31, 2004. The multi-year plan should include goals, benchmarks, and timelines developed in consultation with the institution's many stakeholders.

SECTION 11. The appropriations made by this act under Sections 1 and 4 to the Department of Education shall be subject to the following provisions, limitations, or restrictions:

Item 1. The appropriation made in Section 1, Title III-9, Item 2.1c, for the Basic Education Program (BEP), shall be administered pursuant to the provisions of the Education Improvement Act (Public Chapter No. 535 of the Public Acts of 1992).

Item 2. From the appropriations made to the Department of Education under Section 1, Title III-9, of this act, the Department of Education is authorized to pay through disbursements to local education agencies (LEAs), for the benefit of eligible local education employees and their dependents, an amount not to exceed forty-five percent (45%) of the total statewide cost, based on the Basic Education Program (BEP) formula, of such persons' participation in the basic accident and medical expense insurance plan authorized by Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 8, Chapter 27, Part 3.

The Local Education Insurance Committee shall determine a calendar year 2005 plan of benefits and monthly premiums for each of the healthcare options offered through the "basic plan" it authorizes pursuant to Section 8-27-302, Tennessee Code Annotated, which results, with reasonable certainty, in the provision of sufficient revenues to pay plan expenses and to provide for the funding of reserves for estimated incurred but unreported claims. The aggregate amount of funds obligated through the determination of the plans of benefits and the monthly premiums by the Local Education Insurance Committee shall not exceed the amount appropriated to the Department of Education, Basic Education Program's insurance component in this act. The monthly premiums shall be subject to the approval of the Commissioner of Finance and Administration pursuant to Section 4-3-1006, Tennessee Code Annotated.

Item 3. From the appropriation made to the Department of Education under Section 1, Title III-9, of this act, for technology programs, there is hereby earmarked a sum sufficient for the expenditures of the Web Project.

Item 4. (a) From the amounts herein appropriated to the Department of Education in Section 1, Title III-9, Item 2.1c, the Basic Education Program, the sums of \$12,300,000.00 and \$27,243,000.00 previously distributed to local education agencies to address teacher salary equalization concerns identified by the Tennessee Supreme Court in Tennessee Small Schools, et al. v. Ned Ray McWherter, et al. shall be redistributed through the Basic Education Program formula for the purpose of addressing further teacher salary equalization concerns identified in 2002 by the Tennessee Supreme Court. From the

appropriation to the Basic Education Program in Item 2.1c, there is appropriated an amount sufficient to hold harmless those local education agencies requiring an increase in spending for salaries and/or benefits as a result of the loss of funds due to the re-distribution of funds. It is the legislative intent that these re-distributed funds, along with an additional \$35,000,000.00 appropriation for the purpose of teacher salary equalization, be used to increase the unit cost for instructional salary within the Basic Education Program formula to \$34,000.00 per instructional position generated for each local education agency.

- (b) From the amounts herein appropriated to the Department of Education in Section 1, Title III-9, Item 2.1c, the Basic Education Program, the sum of \$36,600,000.00 is for the purpose of providing a 2% salary improvement for all positions generated within the Basic Education Program formula for each local education agency.
  - (c)(1) From the amounts herein appropriated to the Department of Education in Section 1, Title III-9, Item 2.1c, the Basic Education Program, the sum of \$18,300,000 is for the purpose of providing a one-time, non-recurring bonus for all instructional positions within each local education agency for the fiscal year 2004-2005.
  - (2) In addition to any other funds appropriated in this act, there is hereby appropriated the sum of \$18,300,000 for the purpose of funding an additional one-time, non-recurring bonus for all instructional positions within each local education agency for the fiscal year 2004-2005.
  - (3) It is the legislative intent that each person eligible for such bonus receive an equal share. The Commissioner of Education shall develop a plan for distribution of such amount to achieve this intent, with such plan subject to approval of the Commissioner of Finance and Administration. Further, it is the intent that such bonuses be distributed to eligible persons on or about October 1, 2004. Amounts paid under this provision shall be considered earnable compensation for retirement purposes.

Item 5. Under the provisions of Tennessee Code Annotated, Sections 49-3-357 and 49-3-358, pertaining to interest accruing on investments and deposits to the Education Trust Fund and the Basic Education Program, it is the legislative intent that only interest earnings be recognized and that no interest expense be charged to the fund and the program.

Item 6. The Department of Education shall submit to the Office of Legislative Budget Analysis the revised BEP funding formula for the ensuing fiscal year no later than January 1 of each year.

### SECTION 12.

Item 1. There is hereby appropriated the sum of three million dollars (\$3,000,000.00) to the Department of Human Services, which sum shall be in addition to all other appropriations made to the Department of Human Services and which sum shall be used for the sole purpose of increasing the amount available to social service contractors, as provided for in Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 71, Chapter 1, Part 2.

Item 2. It is the intent of the General Assembly that the Commissioner of Finance and Administration shall have the authority to promulgate, as public necessity rules pursuant to Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 4-5-209, those rules and regulations which concern the Medicaid/TennCare program and which require promulgation in order for the state to fiscally function (i) within the appropriations provided for the Medicaid/TennCare program or (ii) within the availability of revenues received for the Medicaid/TennCare program.

Item 3. There is appropriated to the State Treasurer the sum of one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000) from the Criminal Injuries Compensation Fund for the purpose of granting the same to the organization created by Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 29-13-116; provided, the organization submits to the State Treasurer a plan specifying the use of the monies and such plan is approved by the State Treasurer. No funds appropriated in this item may be used for lobbying public officials.

Item 4. From the appropriations in Section 1 of this act, there is hereby appropriated \$10,000,000 from the real estate transfer tax, to be allocated to the following programs, as authorized by Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 67-4-409:

(a)	To the 1986 Wetland Acquisition Fund,	\$ 4,062,500
(b)	To the Local Parks Land Acquisition Fund,	\$ 2,187,500
(c)	To the State Lands Acquisition Fund,	\$ 1,875,000
(d)	To the Agricultural Resources Conservation Fund,	\$ 1,875,000.

Item 5. In addition to any other funds appropriated by the provisions of this act, there is appropriated a sum sufficient to the Department of Finance and Administration for distribution to the appropriate entities for the sole purpose of implementing Senate Bill No. 374/House Bill No. 1474, Senate Bill No. 3193/House Bill No. 3389, Senate Bill No. 1686/ House Bill No. 1065, Senate Bill No. 51/House Bill No. 1364, Senate Bill No. 555/House Bill No. 1387, Senate Bill No. 3057/House Bill No. 2543, Senate Bill No. 3019/House Bill No. 3453, Senate Bill No. 2689/House Bill No. 2859, Senate Bill No. 3209/House Bill No. 3458, Senate Bill No. 3189/House Bill No. 3301. Senate Bill No. 3438/House Bill No. 3471, Senate Bill No. 1907/House Bill No. 1972, Senate Bill No. 2810/House Bill No. 2652, Senate Bill No. 2419/House Bill No. No. 2796, Senate Bill No. 3428/House Bill No. 3483. Senate Bill No. 3326/House Bill No. 3400. Senate Bill No. 2861/House Bill No. 3336, Senate Bill No. 214/House Bill No. 779, Senate Bill No. 1199/House Bill No. 1049, Senate Bill No. 2328/House Bill No. 3169, Senate Bill No. 3364/House Bill No. 3403, Senate Bill No. 3358/House Bill No. 3377, Senate Bill No. 2383/House Bill No. 2269, Senate Bill No. 2842/House Bill No. 3449, Senate Bill No. 2458/House Bill No. 3450, Senate Bill No. 784/House Bill No. 1275, Senate Bill No. 2916/House Bill No. 2757, Senate Bill No. 1368/House Bill No. 1302, Senate Bill No. 3148/House Bill No. 3291, Senate Bill No. 3078/House Bill No. 3390, Senate Bill No. 3094/House Bill No. 3017, Senate Bill No. 532/House Bill No. 1090, Senate Bill No. 3277/House Bill No. 3189, Senate Bill No. 2885/House Bill No. 2883, Senate Bill No. 827/House Bill No. 1202, Senate Bill No. 3342/House Bill No. 2931, Senate Bill No. 1333/House Bill No. 953, Senate Bill No. 3137/House Bill No. 3079, Senate Bill No. 2134/House Bill No. 2249, Senate Bill No. 2505/House Bill No. 3005, Senate Bill No. 3093/House Bill No. 2831, House Joint Resolution No. 773, House Joint Resolution No. 792, House Joint Resolution No. 740, House Joint Resolution No. 990, House Joint Resolution No. 1009, House Joint Resolution No. 953, House Resolution No. 442, Senate Joint Resolution No. 800 and Senate Joint

Resolution No. 71, if such bills and resolutions become law. It is the legislative intent that if funding is earmarked for such implementation in such bills that the funds appropriated in this item be reduced accordingly.

Item 6. In addition to any other funds appropriated by the provisions of this act, there is hereby appropriated to the Department of Finance and Administration for distribution to the appropriate entities a sum sufficient to fund any bill on which the fiscal note indicates that the cost of implementation of the bill is minimal or not significant. It is the legislative intent that if funding is earmarked for implementation in such bills that the funds appropriated in this item be reduced accordingly. It is the legislative intent to recognize a revenue loss from bills that result in no expenditure increase but forego revenue which has not been collected previously.

Item 7. In addition to any other funds appropriated by the provisions of this act, if the fiscal note on any bill states that state revenues would be increased in an amount equal to or greater than state expenditures as a result of the enactment of such bill, then there is appropriated a sum sufficient from such increased revenue to the appropriate entity, as determined by the Commissioner of Finance and Administration, to implement such bill.

Item 8. In addition to any other funds appropriated by the provisions of this act, there is appropriated to the Department of Finance and Administration for distribution to the appropriate entities a sum sufficient to fund any bill or resolution in which the Commissioner of Finance and Administration provided a letter to the General Assembly stating that the provisions of such bill or resolution would be funded in this act if such bills or resolutions become law. Such bills are Senate Bill No. 3294/House Bill No. 3415, Senate Bill No. 3393/House Bill No. 3539, and Senate Bill No. 3461/House Bill No. 3532.

Item 9. There is appropriated to the Treasury Department the sum of \$83,600 from departmental revenues.

Item 10. In addition to any other funds appropriated by the provisions of this act, there is appropriated \$1,377,500 (recurring) and \$84,000 (non-recurring) to the district public defenders conference for the sole purpose of establishing 18 additional full-time assistant public defender positions and 6 additional full-time support staff positions if Senate Bill No. 1352/House Bill No. 131 becomes law. The additional positions shall be allocated among the several judicial districts based upon need and other relevant factors. Such allocation shall be made by the executive director of the district public defenders conference after consultation with the Comptroller of the Treasury and the administrative director of the courts. The executive director shall report the final allocation of such positions by judicial district to the Speakers of the Senate and the House of Representatives, the Chairs of the Senate and House Judiciary Committees and the Office of Legislative Budget Analysis on or before October 1, 2005.

Item 11. In addition to any other funds appropriated by the provisions of this act, there is appropriated \$2,295,900 (recurring) and \$56,000 (non-recurring) to the district attorneys general conference for the sole purpose of establishing 30 additional full-time assistant district attorney positions and 10 additional full-time support staff positions if Senate Bill No. 2976/House Bill No. 3429 becomes law. It is the legislative intent that additional non-recurring costs in the amount of \$49,000 be funded from funds otherwise available to the district attorneys general conference. The additional positions shall be allocated among the

several judicial districts based upon need and other relevant factors. Such allocation shall be made by the executive director of the district attorneys general conference after consultation with the Comptroller of the Treasury and the administrative director of the courts. The executive directors shall report the final allocation of such positions by judicial district to the Speakers of the Senate and the House of Representatives, the Chairs of the Senate and House Judiciary Committees and the Office of Legislative Budget Analysis on or before October 1, 2005.

Item 12. In addition to any other funds appropriated by the provisions of this act, there is appropriated the sum of \$95,000 (non-recurring) to the Department of Health for the sole purpose of contracting, on a one-for-one matching basis, for health education services or programs for males with a nonprofit organization whose mission is health awareness for males, provided, however, that such a nonprofit organization has been established in Tennessee prior to January 1, 2004, and has received funding through the vitamin supplement settlement of June 2003 administered by the Tennessee Attorney General's office. The organization must have experience with general health outreach and education activities for males in Tennessee, including activities for the general population and the underserved living in Tennessee.

Item 13. In addition to any other funds appropriated by the provisions of this act, there is appropriated a sum sufficient not to exceed \$655,000 to the Davidson County Drug Court for the sole purpose of continuing operations and services. This appropriation shall be non-recurring and is subject to the availability of funds in the fiscal year ending June 30, 2004. This item shall be funded from excess funds available in the fiscal year ending June 30, 2004. Such appropriation shall be further contingent on full funding of all other contingent appropriations made by the provisions of this act from excess funds available in fiscal year ending June 30, 2004.

Item 14. To the extent that Senate Bill No. 962/House Bill No. 235 relative to the sales and use taxation of automobile lease salvage transactions results in a revenue loss exceeding \$100,000, there is hereby appropriated a sum sufficient for its implementation, if such bill becomes a law.

Item 15. There is hereby appropriated to the state funding board a sum sufficient to pay debt service on bonds authorized by Senate Bill No. 429/House Bill No. 1310, if such bill becomes law.

Item 16. In addition to any other funds appropriated by the provisions of this act, there is appropriated the sum of \$9,200,000 for the sole purpose of restoring the reductions made to higher education institutions. It is the intent of the General Assembly that \$2,800,000 be recurring and \$6,400,000 be non-recurring. It is the intent of the General Assembly that the restoration be made in a manner that offsets the reductions made to each individual institution. This appropriation shall take effect July 1, 2004, the public welfare requiring it.

Item 17. The Tennessee Higher Education Commission is directed to review and report to the Governor, Speaker of the Senate and Speaker of the House of Representatives on private fundraising capabilities, potential and effort of Tennessee's institutions of public higher education. Such review shall include matters deemed relevant including, but not limited to, comparisons of the results of such activities between Tennessee public institutions and comparisons of Tennessee institutions to peer institutions in other states. The review shall specifically examine how private fundraising could be used to support both

capital and program improvements, with a focus on improving those academic programs that define the unique qualities of each institution. The review shall include a systematic effort to assess both individual and business needs in their communities for which there might be support beyond that for scholarships. The review shall prepare examples of fundraising plans for each type of institution of higher education. All agencies of state government and higher education shall provide assistance in performance of such review. It is the legislative intent that the report required by this item shall be filed no later than December 15, 2004.

SECTION 13. The provisions of this section shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.

Item 1. For the fiscal year ending June 30, 2004, there is hereby appropriated from the Reserve for Casualty Losses, established under the provisions of Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 12, Chapter 3, Part 9, a sum sufficient for the purpose of funding any unpaid loss at June 30, 2004, said amount to be reserved and carried forward into fiscal year 2004-05.

SECTION 14. The appropriations made by this act and all other appropriations, including appropriations of departmental revenues as set forth in Section 4 of this act, except such as may be made for the expenses of the Legislative Branch, and the appropriations made for the Judiciary, including the Attorney General and Reporter, District Attorneys General, Public Defenders, and the Office of the Post-Conviction Defender, the Secretary of State, Comptroller of the Treasury and State Treasurer, shall be obligated and expended under the provisions of Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 4, Chapter 3, Part 10 and Title 9, Chapter 4, Part 51, which shall remain in full force and effect; and in case of conflict with any other law, the provisions of such laws shall prevail, except as otherwise herein specifically provided. All appropriations except those made by acts authorizing bond issues and expenditures thereof and those excepted from obligations and expenditure hereinabove, though made by other statutes, shall likewise be obligated and expended under the provisions of Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 4, Chapter 3, Part 10 and Title 9, Chapter 4, Part 51.

# SECTION 15.

Item 1. No part of the fund appropriated to any department, office, instrumentality, or agency of the state government shall be expended in any other such entity, but if the head of any department, office, commission or instrumentality of the state government finds that there is a surplus in any classification, division, or unit under such entity, and a deficiency in any other division, unit or classification, then in that event the head of such department, office, commission or instrumentality of the state government may transfer such portion of such funds as may be necessary for the one division, unit or classification where the surplus exists to the other, except as otherwise provided herein, provided such transfer is approved by the Commissioner of Finance and Administration. Such transfer of funds pursuant to this item shall be subject to the approval of a majority of a committee composed of the Speaker of the Senate, the Speaker of the House and the Comptroller of the Treasury.

Item 2. The Commissioner of Finance and Administration may establish in any department, office, commission or instrumentality of the state government a clearing account through which all salaries and wages, including the state's portion of retirement, insurance, social security, etc., may be disbursed. In the event such accounts are established, department records shall be maintained showing the distribution of such amounts among the various appropriation codes,

and any financial reports shall present expenditures as if such expenditures had been made through the individual appropriation accounts.

Item 3. The Commissioner of Finance and Administration shall have power and authority to refuse, with the approval of the Governor, to approve or honor any and all requisitions for purchases, except requisitions for purchases authorized by the Legislative Branch, including the Secretary of State, Comptroller of the Treasury and State Treasurer, and the Judiciary, including the Attorney General and Reporter. In case any division or function of government for which an appropriation is provided in this act or otherwise, shall be transferred from an existing department, to any other department, such transfer shall automatically result in the appropriation for such transferred division or function becoming available to the department to which such transfer is made for the purposes of such transferred division or function.

Item 4. From the appropriations made to the various state departments and agencies under this act, and other general acts appropriating money, there may be paid any expenses incurred by said departments and agencies for the purpose of conducting and serving as host for regional or national conferences of which such departments or agencies may be members. Before any funds shall be expended under this authorization, the amount and purpose of the proposed expenditure shall be approved by the Commissioner of Finance and Administration.

Item 5. Notwithstanding any provision of law to the contrary, no state department or agency in the Executive Branch of state government is authorized to make organizational changes within such department or agency without the prior approval of the Commissioner of Finance and Administration. Where such organizational changes require a transfer of funds between organizational accounts and are contrary to the manner in which appropriations have been made herein, approval of said transfers is subject to approval by the Commissioner of Finance and Administration and by a majority of a committee composed of the Speaker of the Senate, the Speaker of the House and the Comptroller of the Treasury.

Item 6. The Commissioner of Finance and Administration is authorized to draw-down disputed federal funds and to reserve the funds to prevent their expenditure until the dispute is settled; and the Commissioner of Finance and Administration in consultation with the State Treasurer is authorized to allocate interest earnings on the draw-down of disputed federal funds and to pay interest earnings to the federal government in those instances when expenditures are ultimately disallowed.

Item 7. The Commissioner of Finance and Administration is authorized to impose a reasonable real estate transaction fee on all real estate transactions when the transaction is processed through the Department of Finance and Administration. Said fee structure shall be subject to approval by the State Building Commission.

Subject to the approval of the State Building Commission, there is hereby appropriated a sum sufficient to replace any real estate transaction fees that are waived.

Item 8. The Commissioner of Finance and Administration and the State Treasurer, with approval of the State Comptroller, shall develop and implement a policy to recover state funds and the state's costs associated with checks,

warrants, drafts, and electronic funds transfers deposited to a state account that are subsequently returned unpaid by the drawer's bank.

Item 9. The Commissioner of Finance and Administration is authorized to maintain an indirect cost recovery plan to recognize overhead costs associated with the operations of the Tennessee Regulatory Authority, Wildlife Resources Agency, Department of Financial Institutions, Housing Development Agency and the regulatory boards and commissions not under the administration of the Department of Commerce and Insurance or the Department of Health. The Commissioner is further authorized to charge the departments and agencies covered by the indirect cost recovery plan for their individual overhead costs.

Item 10. The Commissioner of Finance and Administration is authorized to establish a state regulatory fee not to exceed \$5.00 for one year and \$10.00 for two years. The fee shall be in lieu of any allocation of indirect costs which would otherwise be allocated to the regulatory boards covered by the provisions of Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 4-3-1011(b)(2).

Item 11. If any appropriation in this act fails to designate a department or agency of state government to be responsible for the administration of the appropriation, then the Commissioner of Finance and Administration is hereby directed to designate the state department or agency to administer the appropriation.

Unless otherwise directed by language in this act, appropriation grants to agencies outside of state government shall be administered in such manner as the Commissioner of Finance and Administration shall determine. Direct appropriation grants for the benefit of agencies outside of state government may be administered by the Department of Finance and Administration.

Item 12. For the purposes of this item, the term "chief fiscal officer" shall mean the position within a state agency that has overall daily responsibility for the oversight of the fiscal operation for that agency. The Commissioner of Personnel in consultation with the Commissioner of Finance and Administration shall designate and classify position(s) within each agency of the Executive Branch of state government as chief fiscal officer(s) for that agency. Qualifications and appointments to fill existing or future vacancies shall be in accordance with procedures established by the Commissioner of Personnel with the approval of the Commissioner of Finance and Administration.

Item 13. From the appropriations made in this act to pay the salaries of state employees who are hired on or after July 1, 2004, the Commissioner of Finance and Administration is authorized to require that those salaries be paid through direct-deposit procedures.

Item 14. The Commissioner of Finance and Administration is hereby authorized to adjust departmental revenue and reserve estimates and related expenditures: (a) for internal service funds and enterprise funds to record fees received for services provided to departments, agencies, boards, and commissions and (b) to record payment for services provided to state agencies by another state agency.

Item 15. The Commissioner of Finance and Administration is hereby authorized to adjust departmental revenue and related expenditures to recognize (a) the carry-over of federal funds and other departmental revenues that were budgeted and allotted but unexpended or unobligated at June 30; (b) an increase

in the federal rate of reimbursement or match in federal programs so that there is less state expense or the additional federal funds are available to meet increasing costs without improving programs; and (c) an unexpected increase in federal grant funds so that there is less state expense or the additional federal funds are available to meet increasing costs without improving programs.

Item 16. The Commissioner of Finance and Administration is hereby authorized to adjust the estimates of federal block grant funds and other federal grant-in-aid funds estimated in Section 4 and Section 31 of this act to reflect the actual allocations of federal revenues made available to the State of Tennessee by the federal government.

## SECTION 16.

- Item 1. Each department, division or agency for the benefit of which an appropriation is made herein and which participates in the Consolidated Retirement System, shall pay from such appropriation monthly such sums as may be due such Consolidated Retirement System as the state's contribution from such department, division or agency.
- Item 2. The appropriation in Section 1, Title III-21, to the Consolidated Retirement System of the State of Tennessee in the amount of \$9,000,000 is for retirement contribution for certain county officials and county judges. It is the legislative intent that the appropriation equal revenue collected and apportioned under the provisions of Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 67, Chapter 4, Part 6 and Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 8-37-604, for county judges and county officials, and the Commissioner of Finance and Administration shall increase or decrease the appropriation for those officials accordingly.
- Item 3. The appropriation in Section 1, Title III-21, to the Consolidated Retirement System of the State of Tennessee in the amount of \$125,000 is for retirement contribution for certain General Sessions Judges. It is the legislative intent that the appropriation equal revenue collected and apportioned under the provisions of Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 67, Chapter 4, Part 6, for General Sessions Judges, and the Commissioner of Finance and Administration shall increase or decrease the appropriation for those judges accordingly.
- Item 4. The State Treasurer, with the approval of the Commissioner of Finance and Administration, shall have authority to transfer any increase in the appropriation for county officials' and county judges' retirement contributions between the organizational units or programs benefiting from said appropriations. Such transfers shall be limited to the appropriations made for judicial and administrative officials of county governments, provided, however, that the State Treasurer, with the approval of the Commissioner of Finance and Administration, shall have authority to consolidate the assets of the retirement plans for elected and appointed officials for accounting and funding purposes. Such consolidations shall be limited to retirement plans with common employers.
- Item 5. Whenever any law relating to retirement matters is passed by the General Assembly which does not affirmatively state that it has application to participating political subdivisions and it is subsequently determined by the retirement division that such act or provision thereof mandates increased liability to a participating political subdivision within the meaning of Article II, Section 24, of the Tennessee Constitution, compliance with the provisions of such act or acts shall be optional to the political subdivision. Upon discovery by the retirement division that an enactment increases liabilities to the local governments, notice of

the effect of such enactment shall be given to the governing body by the retirement division within a reasonable time after discovery. The governing body of each political subdivision shall upon notification of the effect of the law, advise the retirement division of its desire to be covered by the provisions of the act within four (4) months of the date of notice. All participating political subdivisions which do not elect to be covered by the provisions of the enactment shall be excluded from the provisions thereof.

#### SECTION 17.

Item 1. From the appropriations made herein, the various departments, agencies, boards and commissions of state government shall pay on behalf of each participating employee within the respective departments, agencies, boards and commissions, not less than eighty percent (80%) of the cost of each individual's participation in the basic group medical insurance program and one hundred percent (100%) of the cost of twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000.00) of basic term life insurance coverage and forty thousand dollars (\$40,000.00) of basic special accident insurance coverage for each participating employee; such basic medical, life and accident insurance program to be established pursuant to Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 8, Chapter 27, Part 2.

The employer contribution amounts established by the State Insurance Committee for eligible participating employees shall not exceed, in the aggregate, the amounts appropriated in this act. The State Insurance Committee shall determine a calendar year 2005 plan of benefits and monthly premiums for each of the healthcare options it authorizes pursuant to Section 8-27-201, Tennessee Code Annotated, which result, with reasonable certainty, in the provision of sufficient revenues to pay plan expenses and to provide for the funding of reserves for estimated incurred but unreported claims. The monthly premiums and the employer contribution amounts shall be subject to the approval of the Commissioner of Finance and Administration pursuant to Section 4-3-1006, Tennessee Code Annotated.

Item 2. From the appropriations made herein the Department of Military is hereby authorized to pay, on behalf of each participating national guardsman called up to state active duty, the cost of each individual's participation in the state-approved Group Life Insurance Plan for national guardsmen called up to state active duty. The provisions of Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 8, Chapter 27, Part 2, shall apply.

Item 3. The State Insurance Committee shall establish and maintain, within the appropriations made in this act for supplemental medical insurance for retired state employees and retired teachers and in accordance with Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 8-27-702, the respective contribution levels to be made by the state on behalf of the eligible participating retirees. The annualized contribution rate established by the Committee for the eligible participating employees shall not exceed the amount appropriated in this act, and the rate established is subject to approval by the Commissioner of Finance and Administration.

Item 4. It is the legislative intent that the State Insurance Committee establish a schedule of premium payments for retirees participating in the group insurance plan under the provisions of Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 8-27-205(b).

Item 5. The Commissioner of Finance and Administration is hereby authorized to establish positions and make appropriate adjustments to the Insurance Administration budget to reflect changes in the contractual arrangements for medical and other insurance coverage provided to state insurance plan participants. The establishment of additional positions and the allotment of additional departmental revenue are subject to approval by the State Insurance Committee.

SECTION 18. From the appropriations made by this act, claims for official travel expenses of state employees and members of boards and commissions, notwithstanding any provision of the law to the contrary, shall be subject to the provisions of comprehensive travel regulations as approved by the Attorney General and the Commissioner of Finance and Administration under the provisions of Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 4-3-1008.

SECTION 19. Whenever similar or duplicate appropriations are made in this act to those carried in any other act, such appropriation herein shall not be deemed as a supplemental appropriation, it being the legislative intent that there shall be no overlapping appropriations for equivalent amounts; but if this act simply supplements the appropriations made by the other act, then such supplemental appropriation shall be valid. The same shall apply to similar or duplicate appropriations made solely within this act.

SECTION 20. Notwithstanding the provisions of Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 54, Chapter 2, Part 2, to the contrary, whenever the State of Tennessee has any surplus lands or other surplus real properties which are sold or conveyed during the fiscal year ending June 30, 2005, the proceeds from the sale of such lands or other real property shall be subject to the provisions of Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 12-2-112.

SECTION 21. The Board of Standards, may, if it considers such action in the interest of the state, authorize the Director of Purchasing to negotiate for the purchase of computer programs and associated software systems without following the procedures set out in Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 12, Chapter 3, relative to requisitioning and the receipt of bids. Such purchases shall be made at and for the best possible price, and each such purchase shall be confirmed by the Board of Standards before becoming effective. This exception shall not apply to the purchase of computer equipment machinery or associated hardware, but the same shall continue to be acquired in accordance with the procedures set out in Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 12, Chapter 3.

SECTION 22. Notwithstanding the provisions of Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 66, Chapter 29, warrants, drafts, and checks drawn on the State Treasury that have not been redeemed within twelve months of issue date shall be cancelled and written off the state's books with the funds reverting to the fund of issue. Subsequent claims by the payee of said instruments, shall be honored upon receipt of documentation to substantiate the claim. The Commissioner of Finance and Administration and the State Treasurer shall develop a plan to ensure the state's compliance with the unclaimed property law.

## SECTION 23.

Item 1. It is hereby declared to be the legislative intent that the Commissioner of Finance and Administration revise the funding recommendations and personnel summaries contained in the Budget Document to conform with this act, other general acts of this Session and any other actions

which affect the level of departmental or other such revenue. Said revised summaries shall be provided to the Office of Legislative Budget Analysis, Finance, Ways and Means Committees of the Senate and House of Representatives and to the Office of the Comptroller of the Treasury and Fiscal Review Committee. The Commissioner of Personnel shall submit a monthly report to the Office of Legislative Budget Analysis regarding positions that have been overlapped for ninety (90) days or more. In addition, the budget as introduced shall indicate the number of positions overlapped on the date of introduction.

In establishing allotments from the appropriations herein made, the Commissioner of Finance and Administration may establish total spending authorizations in the amount of the specific appropriation from state revenues herein made, plus the estimated federal and departmental revenues estimated to be available as presented in the revised funding summaries cited above. In the event federal and departmental revenues for any particular program, appropriation code, or other classification are less than the amount estimated to be available under the allotments then and to that extent the spending authorizations are hereby reduced; to the extent that federal or departmental revenues in excess of the amounts allotted are realized, such excess shall not constitute increased spending authorizations, except under the conditions herein specified.

In establishing the allotments herein authorized, the Commissioner of Finance and Administration shall divide the total spending authorizations by allotment code, into two subdivisions, as follows:

- 1. Personal Services and Benefits
- 2. Other Operating Expenses

No state agency shall establish new programs nor expand programs, including any programs involving federal or other funds, beyond the scope of those already established, recognized and approved by the legislature, as reflected in the revised summaries cited above, until the program and the availability of the money is submitted by the Commissioner of Finance and Administration to the Finance, Ways and Means Committee chairmen and until said committee chairmen have acknowledged in writing receipt thereof, to the Commissioner of Finance and Administration. Provided, however, that capital outlay program projects and the availability of funding shall be submitted to the State Building Commission to be acknowledged. When submitted, a copy of operational budget expansion reports shall be provided to the Fiscal Review Committee executive director and the Office of Legislative Budget Analysis director for information purposes.

#### SECTION 24.

Item 1. Notwithstanding any provision of the law to the contrary, the heads of the respective departments for which appropriations are made in Section 1, Titles I, II, III-1, Items 1, 3, 5, and 7, are authorized to revise their respective budgets and personnel authorizations within the appropriations made in Sections 1 and 4 of this act and to submit those revised summaries to the Commissioner of Finance and Administration, who shall incorporate them into the revised funding recommendations and personnel summaries and allotments and spending authorizations required by Section 23 of this act.

Item 2. All funds appropriated in Section 1, Title III-1, Items 3, 5 and 7 and in Section 4, Title III-1, Items 3, 5 and 6, shall be administered in a ministerial capacity by the Department of Finance and Administration in accordance with budgets and any revisions thereto of the respective entities for which such appropriations are made. Such budgets and any revisions thereto shall be subject to the concurrence of the Speaker of the Senate and Speaker of the House of Representatives.

SECTION 25. Except where sovereign immunity has been or shall hereafter be expressly waived by the General Assembly, all appropriations of state revenues and departmental revenues made in this act and in prior acts to the state, its departments, agencies, boards, educational institutions, instrumentalities, and incorporated entities performing the state's governmental functions shall be state funds and shall be protected by the state's sovereign immunity from every court's judgment, decree, attachment, or other legal process; provided, however, that any statutory or other provision authorizing an agency, board, or entity to sue and be sued shall not constitute a waiver of sovereign immunity.

SECTION 26. From the appropriation made for the General Assembly under Section 1, Title I, payment shall be made for, but not limited to, the following items:

- 1. Any lawful expenses of the One Hundred Third General Assembly, for which funds have not been obligated on June 30, 2004, such funds herein appropriated as are required may be made available during the fiscal year ending June 30, 2004.
  - 2. The lawful expenses of the One Hundred Third General Assembly.
- 3. The cost of staffing, maintaining and operating the offices of the Speaker of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives, including necessary travel and other expenses incident to said offices, not covered by Title I, Items 3 and 4, of this act.
- 4. Such expenses as may be incurred for maintaining legislative facilities including the maintenance and staffing and such other expenses as may be necessary to provide offices and other services to members of the General Assembly and their staff in state facilities in Nashville.
- 5. Expenses and travel pay to legislators for each day when attending conferences, workshops, and other official meetings, both within and without the State of Tennessee, when said travel is approved by the Speaker of the Senate and/or the Speaker of the House of Representatives. Payments shall be at the same rate provided for members of the standing committees of the General Assembly when meeting between sessions. Provided, further, that reimbursement may be made to legislators for registration fees incurred while attending conferences and meetings as may be approved by the Speaker of the Senate and/or the Speaker of the House of Representatives.
- 6. Expenses and travel pay allowed to members of the Joint Legislative Services Committee as authorized under Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 3-1-106, and to members of the Fiscal Review Committee, as authorized under Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 3-7-102.
- 7. The Speakers may transfer to the Office of Legislative Services and the Office of Legal Services for the General Assembly and to the Fiscal Review Committee sufficient funds to enable them to complete all studies assigned to

them by the One Hundred Third General Assembly, and to furnish such help as may be required by standing, select and joint committees of the General Assembly.

- 8. Membership dues to the National Conference of State Legislatures, similar service organizations, and such other conferences as may be approved by the Speaker of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives. Such payments may be made quarterly or in accordance with other partial payment plans.
- 9. Any expenditures for legislative purposes called for by resolutions or joint resolutions properly adopted by either or both Houses of the General Assembly.
- 10. Payment of expenses to any member, as provided by law, for attendance at any meeting of any standing, special, or select committee of the General Assembly, whether such meeting occurs during or between sessions of the General Assembly. Such expenses for meetings held between sessions shall be paid at the same rate as provided in the general law for meetings held while the General Assembly is in session.
- 11. In addition to appropriations made under Section 1, Title I, there is hereby appropriated a sum sufficient to cover any increase automatically occurring under mandate of law in any compensation, benefits, or expenses funded under Section 1, Title I.

All items listed above, together with any other expenses for the General Assembly, upon the approval of the Speaker of the Senate and/or the Speaker of the House of Representatives, shall be paid through the Office of Legislative Administration, who shall also be authorized to make arrangements for, and incur obligations incident to, any convening of the One Hundred Third General Assembly, including but not limited to such items as contracts for the reproduction of bills, the printing of a daily legislative service, and the Tennessee Legislative Record.

Provided, further, that during any period when the Offices of the Speaker of the Senate or the Speaker of the House of Representatives are vacant, or otherwise upon authority of the Speakers, the Director of the Office of Legislative Administration is hereby authorized to do any act which the Speaker might do under the provisions of this section.

The provisions of the section shall not be construed to countermand any general act passed by the One Hundred Third General Assembly.

SECTION 27. The Speaker of each House of the General Assembly shall be paid from funds appropriated to the General Assembly the following sums:

Seven hundred fifty dollars (\$750.00) for their ex officio services during any session of the General Assembly; plus the sum of five thousand seven hundred dollars (\$5,700.00) annually for local office expenses in their county of residence which will be in addition to the cost of maintaining and operating offices in the State Capitol. In addition, each Speaker shall be allowed the same amount for expenses and travel pay as that provided for members of the standing committees of the General Assembly when meeting between sessions, for attending meetings of standing, select, or joint committees of the General Assembly or when absent from their county of residence on official duty as

Speaker. When the Speaker, Majority Leader, Senate Floor Leader or House Majority Whip travel by conveyance owned by such person, travel pay may be allowed on the basis of actual cost.

The allowance for ex officio duties authorized by this section shall be paid at the request of each Speaker at any time after adjournment of a session. The amount authorized hereby for local office expenses shall be paid annually on or after November 1st of each year at the request of each Speaker. Requests for payments shall be addressed to the Director of the Office of Legislative Administration and need not be accompanied by a list of expenditures for which allowances the reimbursements are claimed. Payments for attending meetings between sessions or when absent from county of residence shall be paid from time to time on request of each Speaker.

SECTION 28. In order to prevent duplication of effort and to establish professional standards, audits to be performed by internal audit staffs or grantees of departmental activities funded from appropriations made in this act shall be coordinated with the Office of the Comptroller of the Treasury, and such reports as may be issued shall be prepared in accordance with standards established as required by law by the Comptroller of the Treasury. No department, agency, institution, board, or commission shall cause internal auditing to be performed by persons who do not meet the job specifications for internal auditors established by the Commissioner of Personnel and approved by the Commissioner of Finance and Administration.

SECTION 29. The appropriations to public institutions of higher education set forth in Section 1 of this act shall be subject to the conditions and limitations set forth in this section, and shall not be subject to other provisions of this act except as otherwise expressly stated.

Item 1. Salaries to be paid from the appropriations made to educational institutions shall be fixed as follows:

The President and the staff of the University of Tennessee, by the Board of Trustees; the Presidents and staffs of the institutions within, and the Chancellor and staff of, the State University and Community College System of Tennessee, by the Board of Regents; and the Directors and staffs of the technology centers by the Board of Regents; all of which shall be within the appropriations provided and available for said purposes.

Item 2. Each higher education institution, including technology centers, shall report to the Commissioner of Finance and Administration, the Tennessee Higher Education Commission, and the Office of Legislative Budget Analysis, the actual amount of expenditures for maintenance and operation of the physical plant, exclusive of utilities, for the fiscal year, and any deviation in these expenditures from the amounts recommended in the funding formula for these purposes, prorated to reflect actual funding levels appropriated in this act.

- Item 3. All institutional revenues of any kind collected by the institutions in the course of their operations for their own use are hereby appropriated to the institutions in addition to the specific appropriations made by this act.
- Item 4. It is the intent of the General Assembly that there shall be consistent fee charges among the public institutions of higher education of the state, subject to the nature and scope of the institutions, and that the State Board of Regents and the Board of Trustees of the University of Tennessee shall

consult with the Higher Education Commission before establishing the fee schedules for the universities, community colleges and technology centers.

- Item 5. The appropriations herein for higher education and appropriations of all higher education departmental and institutional revenue are subject to the provisions of Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 9, Chapter 4, and subsections (4) and (5) of Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 4-3-1006. Within the general requirements of these provisions, the Commissioner of Finance and Administration, in consultation with the Comptroller of the Treasury and the Higher Education Commission, shall specify the content and procedures for submitting operating budgets and revisions thereto. The operating budgets shall be submitted to the Higher Education Commission by the respective governing boards. The Higher Education Commission shall then submit such operating budgets with their comments to the Department of Finance and Administration for approval. In addition, the appropriations in this act to institutions of higher education shall be subject to the requirements, restrictions and controls of the State Board of Claims and the State Building Commission in the same manner as other agencies of the state. The governing boards shall submit to the Office of Legislative Budget Analysis both the original and revised operating budgets proposed. The Tennessee Higher Education Commission shall submit to the Office of Legislative Budget Analysis the revised higher education funding formula for the ensuing fiscal year no later than December 1 of each year.
- Item 6. From the appropriations made herein, institutions of higher education are hereby authorized to pay, on behalf of each participating employee, a percentage amount equal to the amount paid by other agencies of the state of the cost of each employee's participation in the state-approved Group Insurance Plan for state employees.
- Item 7. Except where sovereign immunity has been or shall hereafter be expressly waived by the General Assembly, all appropriations of state funds and institutional revenues made in this act and prior acts to institutions of higher education shall be state funds and shall be protected by the state's sovereign immunity from any court's judgment, decree, attachment, or other legal process, provided that any statutory or other provision authorizing any entity to sue and be sued shall not constitute a waiver of sovereign immunity.
- Item 8. The appropriation in Section 1, Title III-21, Miscellaneous Appropriations, for State School Bond Authority Debt Service, in the amount of forty thousand, three hundred dollars (\$40,300.00) is for benefit of education institutions with academic buildings funded through the State School Bond Authority which are listed in Chapter 858, Public Acts of 1972.
- Item 9. From the appropriations made in this act and other appropriations acts, the budgetary units in higher education shall pay to the Division of Retirement, Department of the Treasury, the employer's share of retirement and social security costs including the additional benefit costs associated with pay raises funded from fees, revenues, payroll savings or any other funding source.
- Item 10. The appropriations in this act for Centers of Excellence and Campus Centers of Emphasis are subject to allocation by the Higher Education Commission and the Commissioner of Finance and Administration. In allocating the appropriation for Centers of Excellence, a consideration shall be planned reductions to existing expenditures to supplement funding for the centers. The obligation and expenditure of funds appropriated for Centers of Excellence shall be subject to oversight by the special joint committee of the General Assembly

created pursuant to the provisions of the Comprehensive Education Reform Act of 1984.

- Item 11. From the funds appropriated in Section 1, Title III-10, the Tennessee Higher Education Commission is authorized to allocate the desegregation funds among the various institutions and entities to ensure the most effective use of those funds.
- Item 12. The Higher Education Commission is hereby authorized to collect fees for the use of its video conferencing facilities and is appropriated a sum sufficient from fees collected for this purpose. Such fees shall be utilized solely for the purpose of replacing equipment in the facility. Any unexpended balance as of June 30, 2005, shall not revert to the general fund and is hereby reappropriated in the 2005-06 fiscal year.
- Item 13. From the appropriation to the Tennessee Higher Education Commission in Section 1, Title III-10, for desegregation activities and community service grants, any unexpended balance at June 30, 2005, shall not revert to the general fund balance and is hereby reappropriated in the 2005-06 fiscal year.
- Item 14. There is hereby appropriated a sum sufficient to pay insurance claims filed by lending institutions under the provisions of the Federal Family Education Loan Program and the costs associated with administering that program. Provided, however, such payments shall be made and such costs shall be paid from funds and reserves received and maintained by the Tennessee Student Assistance Corporation for the Federal Family Education Loan Program and the State of Tennessee shall in no way be liable for such claims.
- Item 15. In addition to any other funds appropriated by the provisions of this act, there is appropriated to the Student Assistance Corporation all reserve balances now held by the Corporation for the Student Loan Program authorized by Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 49, Chapter 4, Part 5. It being the legislative intent that these reserves may be used to cover any expenditures resulting from over-awards of assistance to students enrolled during the 2004-2005 academic year under the Student Assistance Program and may use that portion of earnings from the Student Loan Program reserves to conduct the training, administration and default management for students, schools and lenders in the Federal Family Education Loan Program, Part 4 and the Student Loan Program, Part 5. The allotment of funds appropriated by this item shall be subject to the provisions of Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 4, Chapter 3, Part 10 and Title 9, Chapter 4, Part 51.
- Item 16. From the appropriation to the Tennessee Student Assistance Awards in Section 1, Title III-10, any unexpended balance at June 30, 2005, and/or any prior year appropriations recovered from prior recipients by June 30, 2005, shall not revert to the fund balance but shall be added to the reserve balances now held by the Student Assistance Corporation for the Student Loan Program authorized by Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 49, Chapter 4, Part 5.
- Item 17. Proceeds collected from prior recipients of the teacher loan/scholarship programs authorized by Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 49, Chapter 4, Parts 2 and 7, shall not revert to the fund balance but shall be deferred and added to the funds appropriated in the succeeding year for expenditure as awards in the Teaching Scholars Program (Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-4-212).

- Item 18. Proceeds collected from prior recipients of the Minority Teaching Fellows Program authorized by Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 49, Chapter 4, Part 7, shall not revert to the fund balance but shall be deferred and added to the funds appropriated in the succeeding year for expenditure as awards in the Minority Teaching Fellows Program (Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-4-706).
- Item 19. There is hereby appropriated a sum sufficient to the Tennessee Student Assistance Corporation from accumulated interest earnings in the Academic Scholars Program (Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-4-203) and in the Christa McAulliffe Scholarships Program (Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-4-705).
- Item 20. There is hereby appropriated a sum sufficient to the Baccalaureate Education System Trust Board of Directors from fees and other charges for participation in the prepayment tuition program operated by the board under the provisions of Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-7-810.
- Item 21. The appropriation made in Section 1, Title III-10, Item 5.1 Geier Desegregation Settlement, is subject to allocation by the Tennessee Higher Education Commission with the approval of the Commissioner of Finance and Administration.
- Item 22. The unexpended balance of appropriation made in Section 1, Title III-10, Item 5.1 Geier Desegregation Settlement, shall not revert to the general fund at June 30, 2005. From the appropriation an allocation may be made to the debt service fund for purpose of canceling a portion of the bond authorization in Chapter 852, Public Acts of 2002.
- Item 23. The capital outlay projects listed in the 2004-2005 Budget Document and which are identified with the heading "Proposed Capital Projects from School Bonds and Other Sources, Fiscal Year 2004-2005", are presented for informational purposes only. The projects are subject to recommendation and approval procedures involving the higher education institutions and their governing boards, the Tennessee Higher Education Commission, Finance and Administration, the Tennessee State School Bond Authority, the State Funding Board and the State Building Commission.
- SECTION 30. Salaries provided under the appropriations made in Sections 1 and 4 of this act to the respective departments, institutions, offices and agencies shall be fixed as under the provisions of Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 8, Chapter 23.

Within the appropriations made for the Office of the Attorney General and Reporter under this act, the salaries of the attorneys, legal and clerical staff and other employees shall be fixed by the Attorney General. The expenditures provided for herein shall not exceed the amount of the appropriation to the Office of the Attorney General and Reporter.

The salaries of all employees of the Judicial Branch, except those whose salaries are set by law, shall be fixed by the Director of the Administrative Office of the Courts with the approval of the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court. The compensation of the judges, chancellors, and justices of the state's trial and appellate courts shall be set in accordance with Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 8-23-103.

Within the appropriations herein made, the salaries of the subordinates and employees of the Treasurer, Comptroller, Secretary of State, and the Fiscal Review

Committee shall be fixed by the heads thereof, respectively, and the salaries of the employees and subordinates of the Joint Legislative Services Committee shall be fixed by such committee in accordance with the provisions of Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 3, Chapters 10 through 14, inclusive; all other salaries and wages in departments, institutions, offices and agencies shall be approved by the Commissioner of Personnel, provided, however, that the establishment of salary ranges within such departments, institutions, offices and agencies shall be subject to the approval of the Commissioner of Finance and Administration. To the extent that additional funds are appropriated or are generated within a department or agency by abolishing vacant and funded positions, subject to review and approval of the Commissioner of Finance and Administration and the Commissioner of Personnel, salary increases may be granted from such funds.

Employee promotions shall be reported to the General Assembly under the provisions of Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 8-30-211(b).

SECTION 31. The provisions of this section shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it. Under the provisions of Section 4 and Section 23 of this act, it is the legislative intent to appropriate the proceeds of federal block grant programs, as assumed by the State of Tennessee, in the following manner:

- 1. Social Services block grant in the amount of \$13,109,200 to the Department of Human Services and in the amount of \$21,210,500 to the Department of Children's Services.
- 2. Mental Health Services block grant in the amount of \$8,294,800 to the Department of Mental Health and Developmental Disabilities.
- 3. Child Care Development Funds block grant in the amount of \$111,903,100 to the Department of Human Services.
- 4. Maternal and Child Health block grant in the amount of \$14,064,000 to the Department of Health.
- 5. Preventive Health block grant in the amount of \$4,249,800 to the Department of Health.
- 6. Community Services block grant in the amount of \$12,741,100 to the Department of Human Services.
- 7. Low Income Energy Assistance block grant in the amount of \$18,501,200 to the Department of Human Services.
- 8. Substance Abuse Prevention and Treatment block grant in the amount of \$34,095,000 to the Department of Health.
- 9. Temporary Assistance to Needy Families (TANF) block grant in the amount of \$213,100,000 to the Department of Human Services.
- 10. Small Cities Community Development block grant in the amount of \$61,880,000 to the Department of Economic and Community Development. Said sum being the estimated allocation of funds for the federal fiscal years 2003-2004 and 2004-2005 combined.

Provided, however, that all expenditures of any community development block grant funds in addition to those appropriated and enumerated in this section shall be subject to the following limitations and restrictions:

The Housing and Community Development Act of 1981 made it possible for states to assume administration of the small cities Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) previously administered by the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD). In Tennessee, the CDBG Program shall be administered by the Department of Economic and Community Development (ECD).

There shall be appropriated by the General Assembly to ECD such funds as may be allocated to Tennessee by the federal government for the CDBG Program. The state-administered CDBG Program shall be developed within the parameters of the CDBG legislation, applicable federal regulations, and consultation with citizens and elected officials in Tennessee.

The CDBG goals shall be three-fold: (1) target on areas of economic distress, (2) stimulate the growth of jobs and income in these areas, and (3) maximize the number of grantees. Additionally, all CDBG projects must meet one of the three national objectives of (1) principally benefiting persons of low and moderate income, (2) elimination or prevention of slums and blight, or (3) elimination of conditions detrimental to health, safety or public welfare. ECD shall be authorized to make grants and/or loans of CDBG monies to eligible city and county governments in Tennessee to achieve these goals. Loan payments and interest shall be reserved for reappropriation and shall not revert to the general fund balance at year end.

Eligible applicants shall be all city and county governments in Tennessee except those cities of and counties designated by HUD as CDBG entitlement areas. Cities excluded from the state-administered CDBG Program include Memphis and Shelby County, Nashville (Davidson County), Chattanooga, Knoxville and Knox County, Clarksville, Bristol, Johnson City, Oak Ridge, Murfreesboro, Kingsport and Jackson. These cities and counties will receive their CDBG funds directly from HUD.

Based upon an anticipated CDBG allocation in the federal fiscal years 2004 and 2005 of \$30,940,000 each year, the following target funding levels shall be established:

	Federal	
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	FY '04	
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Administrative Costs		\$ 718,800
Industrial Location/	11,863,800	11,863,800
Expansions/		
Retentions		
Community Livability	1 753 300	1,753,300
Water/Sewer/Solid Waste	13 35/ 100	13,354,100
	13,334,100	13,334,100
Housing and Neighborhood		
Revitalization	2,250,000	2,250,000
Set-Aside	1,000,000	1,000,000

A fifty percent (50%) reduction in any category will be permitted to facilitate proper program management and allow administrative flexibility. The funds so reduced shall be allocated to other categories with priority given to water/sewer/solid waste projects.

Selection criteria for project approvals shall be uniform within categories, objective and quantitative, and shall be based on project need, project feasibility, project impact, community need, and, for community livability projects, essentialness.

Project application materials will be supplemented, as appropriate, by site visits and by informed opinions of state agencies knowledgeable about particular projects.

The level of CDBG assistance for individual projects shall be determined by the following factors: (1) the percent of project beneficiaries that have family incomes below the low and moderate income (LMI) levels, (2) a maximum grant and/or loan of \$750,000.00 for individual projects (\$300,000.00 for community livability projects), (3) a maximum grant and/or loan to any applicant of \$750,000.00 in two successive years, and (4) the grantee's ability-to-pay. Higher grant levels (up to \$1,000,000.00) may be approved for regional projects.

If modifications in the expenditure plan for the CDBG Program are required, said modifications shall be accomplished in the following manner: (1) if the General Assembly is in session such modifications shall be approved by the General Assembly, or (2) if the General Assembly is not in session, the Governor may, (a) submit such modifications to the State Funding Board for approval or, (b) call a special session of the General Assembly for approval.

SECTION 32. The provisions of this section shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it. The unexpended appropriations made to the Department of Economic and Community Development (ECD) for the purpose of making grants and loans to local governments and businesses for job creation and/or retention are subject to reversion to the general fund balance at June 30, 2004. Subject to the availability of revenue, the Commissioner of Finance and Administration is authorized to carry forward any unexpended balance or transfer any part of the unexpended balance to the Revenue Fluctuation Reserve at June 30, 2004. The Commissioner shall report to the Chairmen of the Finance, Ways and Means Committees of the Senate and House of Representatives the disposition of the unexpended appropriations.

In the 2004-2005 fiscal year it is the legislative intent that new commitments made by the Commissioner of Economic and Community Development for grants in the FastTrack programs shall not exceed the appropriations made for those purposes in Section 1 of this act. The Commissioner is authorized, subject to the concurrence of the State Funding Board, to determine that amount of new commitments unlikely to be accepted based on historical program trends and may over-commit to the extent of such determination. In no event may such over-commitments exceed thirty percent (30%) of the appropriations available for new grants. It is further the legislative intent that in the 2004-2005 fiscal year the FastTrack programs be managed so that actual expenditures and obligations to be recognized at June 30, 2005, shall not exceed any available reserves and appropriations of the programs.

No less frequently than quarterly, the Commissioner of Economic and Community Development shall report to the Commissioner of Finance and Administration the status of the FastTrack programs appropriations, such report to include at least the following information: the amount of each commitment accepted since the previous report and the name of the company receiving the benefit of such commitment, the total outstanding commitments and the total unobligated appropriation. A copy of each such report shall be transmitted to the Speaker of the House and the Speaker of the Senate, the Chairmen of the Finance, Ways and Means Committees, the State Treasurer and the State Comptroller.

No single contract shall be made for more than seven hundred fifty thousand dollars (\$750,000) provided, however, that for extraordinary economic development projects of major employment and investment significance, additional funding may be provided with the approval of the State Funding Board.

These funds shall be used for industrial training and industrial infrastructure under the following provisions:

- 1. A grant or loan will be made only where there is a commitment by a responsible official in an eligible business for the creation or retention of private sector jobs and private investment, or where, in the opinion of the Commissioner of Economic and Community Development such investment will have a direct impact on employment and investment opportunities in the future.
- 2. Eligible businesses shall be limited to (a) manufacturing and other types of economic activities which export more than half of their products or services outside of Tennessee, (b) businesses where more than half of their products or services enters into the production of exported products, (c) uses which primarily result in import substitution on the replacement of imported products or services with those produced in Tennessee, (d) other types of economic activity determined by the Commissioner of ECD to have a beneficial impact on the economy of Tennessee.
- 3. Grants may be made to local governments or to their economic development organizations or other political subdivisions of the state for industrial infrastructure and for industrial site preparation. Infrastructure grants may include system improvements or line extensions. Infrastructure grants may not be applied to private land or to land which is expected to become privately owned.
- 4. Grants may be made to eligible businesses for industrial training under the following conditions: (a) to support the training of new employees for locating or expanding industries, (b) to support the retraining of existing employees where retraining is required by the installation of new machinery or production processes.
- 5. In determining the level of grant assistance for infrastructure and site preparation consideration shall be given to local ability-to-pay with areas of lesser ability being eligible for higher grant rates.

The Commissioner of Finance and Administration is authorized to transfer a sum sufficient to the Division of Community Development and to the Industrial Training Service to provide for grants made under those programs.

SECTION 33. On or before January 31 of each calendar year, the Center for Business and Economic Research of the University of Tennessee shall cause to be published a comprehensive report on the state's economy. Said report shall be based on projections from the Tennessee Econometric Model and such other information as the Center may deem appropriate. The report shall contain projections for ten years (beginning with the calendar year preceding the year in which the report is due) of the annual economic activity (level and percent change over prior year) for each of the state's major economic sectors; shall include ten-year projections of selected economic indicators, as specified by the State Funding Board; and shall also include a narrative description of the short-term and long-term prospects for economic and business activity in the state based on these indicators. Quarterly projections shall also be published if available.

Said report shall be distributed to the Governor and the other members of the State Funding Board. The State Funding Board shall report to the General Assembly as provided in Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 9-4-5202.

- SECTION 34. The provisions of this section shall take effect upon becoming law, the public welfare requiring it. From the appropriations made in Chapter 356, Public Acts of 2003, the Commissioner of Finance and Administration is authorized to make transfers from the appropriations made:
  - Item 1. To the District Attorneys General in Section 1, Title III-1-2.
  - Item 2. To the Department of Finance and Administration in Section 1, Title III-2-3, and to adjust federal aid and other departmental revenue accordingly.
  - Item 3. To the Department of Agriculture in Section 1, Title III-3, and to adjust federal aid and other departmental revenue accordingly.
  - Item 4. To the Department of Environment and Conservation in Section 1, Title III-5, and to adjust federal aid and other departmental revenue accordingly.
  - Item 5. To the Department of Economic and Community Development in Section 1, Title III-8.
  - Item 6. To the Department of Education in Section 1, Title III-9, and to adjust federal aid and other departmental revenue accordingly.
  - Item 7. To the Department of Safety in Section 1, Title III-20, and to adjust federal aid and other departmental revenue accordingly.
- SECTION 35. The Commissioner of Finance and Administration is authorized to make the following transfers from the appropriations made in this act:
  - Item 1. To the Judicial Branch in Section 1, Title II, but excluding the appropriations for Indigent Defendants' Counsel, Civil Legal Representation, Verbatim Transcripts, Board of Law Examiners, Board of Professional Responsibility, Tennessee Lawyers Assistance Program, Continuing Legal Education and Client Protection Fund.
  - Item 2. In Sections 1 and 4 for the IV-D Child Support Program, a reallocation of positions and funds between the District Attorneys General and the Department of Human Services is authorized.
  - Item 3. To the Department of Correction in Section 1, Title III-7, and to adjust the number of authorized positions within the department's authorized level.
  - Item 4. To the Department of Labor and Workforce Development in Section 1, Title III-13, and to adjust federal aid and other departmental revenue accordingly.
  - Item 5. To the Department of Mental Health and Developmental Disabilities in Section 1, Title III-14, and to adjust federal aid and other departmental revenue accordingly.
  - Item 6. To the Department of Military in Section 1, Title III-15, and to adjust federal aid and other departmental revenue accordingly.

- Item 7. To the Department of Health in Section 1, Title III-16, and to adjust federal aid and other departmental revenue accordingly.
- Item 8. From the appropriations made to the Department of Human Services and the TennCare Program in Section 1, for eligibility determination for the Medicaid Program and various federal family assistance programs, the Commissioner of Finance and Administration is authorized to reallocate appropriations between the department and program, and to adjust federal and departmental revenue estimates accordingly, in order to reflect actual costs of eligibility determination services and Medicaid case management services.
- Item 9. To the Department of Human Services in Section 1, Title III-17, and to adjust federal aid and other departmental revenue accordingly.
- Item 10. To the Department of Revenue in Section 1, Title III-18, and to adjust departmental revenue accordingly.
- Item 11. The appropriations made in Section 1, Title III-21, Miscellaneous Appropriations, are authorized to be allocated and transferred to the appropriate organizational units and programs of state government by the Commissioner of Finance and Administration. For each appropriation so allocated and transferred, there is further appropriated sums sufficient from dedicated and earmarked revenues to provide for the comparable allocation of appropriations to those agencies and programs funded by dedicated and earmarked revenues. The appropriation for the Homeland Security Emergency Fund is subject to approval by the director of Homeland Security.

In addition to the appropriations made in Section 4 of this act, there is hereby appropriated to the organizational units and programs of state government all federal aid funds and departmental revenue earnings associated with the allocation and transfer of Miscellaneous Appropriations authorized under the preceding paragraph in this item.

- Item 12. To the Department of Children's Services in Section 1, Title III-22, and to adjust federal aid and other departmental revenue accordingly.
- Item 13. To the Department of Finance and Administration Mental Retardation in Section 1, Title III-24, and to adjust federal aid and other departmental revenue accordingly.
- Item 14. To the Department of Finance and Administration, TennCare Program in Section 1, Title III-25, and to adjust federal aid and other departmental revenue accordingly.
- Item 15. To the Department of Transportation in Section 1, Title III-29, to provide additional funds for resurfacing as determined by the Commissioner of Transportation.
- Item 16. To the Department of Transportation in Section 1, Title III-29, to recognize administrative reorganizations and to adjust authorized positions, federal aid and other departmental revenue accordingly.
- SECTION 36. The provisions of this section shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it. Subject to the availability of funding at June 30, 2004, any unexpended balances of appropriations made under Chapter 356, Public Acts of 2003, other acts of this General Assembly or acts by previous General Assemblies, listed

in this section are hereby reappropriated to be expended in the 2004-2005 fiscal year and such appropriations shall be carried forward in a reserve into the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2004. The reappropriation and carry forward of these funds is subject to approval by the Commissioner of Finance and Administration. Unless otherwise noted, the unexpended balances reappropriated are authorized under Chapter 356, Public Acts of 2003, and they are the appropriations made:

- Item 1. For data processing services, systems development, data processing equipment purchases and leases and telephone systems purchases and leases. The Commissioner of Finance and Administration is authorized to transfer from the amounts carried forward sums sufficient for the computer equipment replacement fund and to the systems development fund.
- Item 2. Notwithstanding any provision of law to the contrary, all funds appropriated to the Legislative Branch which remain unobligated and unexpended at the end of any fiscal year, shall not revert to the general fund but shall be carried forward in a reserve to be expended in accordance with the approval of the Speaker of the House of Representatives and the Speaker of the Senate. This item shall not be subject to the approval of the Commissioner of Finance and Administration.
- Item 3. To the Judicial Branch in Section 1, Title II, but excluding the appropriations for Indigent Defendants' Counsel, Civil Legal Representation, Verbatim Transcripts, Board of Law Examiners, Board of Professional Responsibility, Tennessee Lawyers Assistance Program, Continuing Legal Education and Client Protection Fund. The reappropriated funds shall be expended for the integrated computer system for the Tennessee court system under the provisions of Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 16-3-807. This item shall not be subject to the approval of the Commissioner of Finance and Administration.
- Item 4. To the Secretary of State for publication of the Blue Book under Section 36, Item 4.
- Item 5. To the Department of State, Regional Libraries, in Section 36, Item 5.
- Item 6. To the Department of Finance and Administration in Section 36, Item 6, to fund the Safe Neighborhoods Act of 1998.
- Item 7. To the Department of Personnel in Section 36, Item 7, for a classification-compensation study.
- Item 8. To the Department of Agriculture the unexpended balance of revenues from timber sales at state forests and state parks.
- Item 9. To the Department of Environment and Conservation, Land Reclamation, in Section 1, Title III-5, Item 16.
- Item 10. To the Tennessee Historical Commission in Section 1, Title III-5, for the Tennessee Wars Commission.
- Item 11. To the Tennessee Historical Commission the unexpended funds from any prior appropriations for publications, historical markers and other historical activities.

- Item 12. To the Department of Education for the Basic Education Program and withheld from local education agencies in the fiscal year ending June 30, 2004, for non-compliance with the Education Improvement Act.
- Item 13. To the Department of Education for the purpose of implementing Chapter No. 554 of the Public Acts of 2000, regarding the coordinated school health program.
- Item 14. All funds received by the Department of Education in support of the Tennessee Education Technology Conference and which remain unobligated and unexpended at the end of any fiscal year shall not revert to the general fund but shall be carried forward in a reserve to be expended for the purposes of such program.
- Item 15. All funds from private foundations received by the Department of Education in support of the Marco Polo initiative and which remain unobligated and unexpended at the end of any fiscal year shall not revert to the education fund but shall be carried forward in a reserve to be expended for the purposes of such program.
- Item 16. All funds appropriated to the Department of Education for the purposes of the state testing programs which remain unobligated and unexpended at the end of any fiscal year shall not revert to the general fund but shall be carried forward in a reserve to be expended for the purposes of such programs.
- Item 17. To the Tennessee Higher Education Commission in Section 1, Title III-10, for desegregation activities and community service grant funds.
- Item 18. To the Department of Mental Health and Developmental Disabilities in Section 1, Title III-14, for housing initiatives for the seriously and persistently mentally ill.
- Item 19. To the Department of Safety in Section 1, Title III-20, for the production of license plates.
- Item 20. For services to children for whose education the state is directly responsible and the funds were paid to the Department of Children's Services under the provisions of Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-3-363.
- Item 21. To the Department of Children's Services in Section 1, Title III-22. Subject to the availability of revenue, the Commissioner of Finance and Administration is authorized to carry forward funds to provide for office relocation costs and the loss of federal SSBG funds in the fiscal year 2004-2005.
- Item 22. To the Department of Children's Services in Section 1, Title III-22, Item 4, Adoption Services, for any grant agreement/contract approved by the Commissioner of Finance and Administration for the purpose of adoption placement and finalization for youth with special needs.
- Item 23. To the Department of Transportation in Section 1, Title III-29, Item 2, for equipment purchases.
- Item 24. To the Department of Transportation for any appropriations which are reserved at June 30, 2004.

- Item 25. To the Department of Personnel in Section 1, Title III-2, Item 4, to fund the Leadership Development Initiative (LDI).
- Item 26. To the Human Rights Commission in Section 1, Title III-2, Item 2.4, an amount not to exceed \$200,000.
- Item 27. To the Department of Children's Services in Section 1, Title III-22. Subject to the availability of revenue, the Commissioner of Finance and Administration is authorized to carry forward funds to provide for a statewide needs assessment of child welfare services.
- Item 28. To the Administrative Office of the Courts from the unexpended balance of revenue from the gift received to benefit the Hillman Taylor Library in Memphis.
- Item 29. To the District Attorneys General from revenues earned from the Department of Human Services for Food Stamp fraud prosecution activities, the unexpended balance of such funds, not to exceed \$100,000.
- Item 30. To the Alcoholic Beverage Commission from the unexpended balance of departmental revenues of the alcohol server responsibility and training program authorized by Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 57, Chapter 3, Part 7.
- Item 31. To the Independent Tax Structure Study Commission in Section 36, Item 32.
- Item 32. To the Judicial Branch, Board of Law Examiners in Section 1, Title II, Item 13. The carry forward amount shall be the difference between expenditures and revenues, including any reserve balance.
- Item 33. To the Department of Mental Health and Developmental Disabilities in Section 1, Title III-14, in the amount of \$420,000. The funds are reappropriated to fund the last year of the Nashville Connection System of Care grant.
- Item 34. To the Department of Labor and Workforce Development in Section 1, Title III-13, in the amount of \$195,000. The funds are reappropriated to fund a contract with Workers' Compensation Research Institute.
- Item 35. To the Tennessee Higher Education Commission in Section 1, Title III-10, in the amount of \$90,000. The funds are reappropriated to study the development of an accredited college of public health.
- Item 36. To the Tennessee Local Development Authority in Section 12, Item 18.
- Item 37. To the Miscellaneous Appropriations in Section 1, Title III-21, Item 13, Finance and Administration Special Projects.
- SECTION 37. The provisions of this section shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it. Subject to the availability of revenue at June 30, 2004, any unexpended balances of appropriations made under Chapter 356, Public Acts of 2003, other acts of this General Assembly or acts by previous General Assemblies for benefit of an agency of local government or a third-party nonprofit organization for which there is a grant agreement/contract approved by the Commissioner of Finance and Administration are hereby reappropriated to be expended in the 2004-2005 fiscal year

and such appropriations shall be carried forward in a reserve into the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2004. The Commissioner of Finance and Administration shall provide a list of any unexpended balances carried forward to the Director of Accounts and to the Division of State Audit. The reappropriation and carry forward of these funds is subject to approval by the Commissioner of Finance and Administration.

SECTION 38. The provisions of this section shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it. There is hereby appropriated the following amounts which shall be in addition to the appropriations provided under Chapter 356, Public Acts of 2003:

Department of Finance and Administration – Mental Retardation

1.	Community Mental Retardation Services\$	11,328,700.00
	Department of Human Services	
1.	Temporary Cash Assistance - Grants\$	
2.	Community Services – Child Care	14,000,000.00
	Total Human Services\$	24,000,000.00

The appropriations made in this section are funded from federal essential services revenues provided by the "Jobs and Growth Tax Relief Reconciliation Act of 2003".

The Commissioner of Finance and Administration is authorized to allot and transfer these appropriations to the appropriate expenditure account within each department, agency or branch of government and to adjust authorized positions accordingly. The Commissioner of Finance and Administration is further authorized to adjust federal aid and departmental revenues accordingly.

SECTION 39. The provisions of this section shall take effect upon becoming law, the public welfare requiring it. There is hereby appropriated from departmental revenues and federal aid funds the amounts hereinafter set out:

		2003-2004	2004-2005
1.	District Attorneys General Conference IV-D Child Support Enforcement	\$414,200	\$414,200
1. 2. 3.	Secretary of State Secretary of State State Library and Archives Regional Library System Total Secretary of State	\$65,000 370,000 55,000 \$490,000	\$65,000 252,000 55,000 \$372,000
1.	Commissions TRICOR	\$0	\$972,700
1.	Finance and Administration – TennCare Program TennCare Services	\$1,500,000	\$15,000,000
1. 2.	Education Improving School Programs School-Based TennCare Services Total Education	\$20,000 1,500,000 \$1,520,000	\$99,200 15,000,000 \$15,099,200

1.	Finance and Administration – Mental Retardation Developmental Disabilities Council	\$33,400	\$100,000
1. 2. 3. 4.	Alcohol and Drug Abuse Services	\$250,000 2,017,300 1,128,000 1,000,000 \$4,395,300	\$50,000 6,052,100 1,128,000 1,000,000 \$8,230,100
1. 2.		\$414,200 0 \$414,200	\$414,200 6,842,500 \$7,256,700
1.	Revenue Processing Division	\$0	\$152,200
1.	Transportation Mass Transit	\$0	\$8,400,000
	GRAND TOTAL	\$8,767,100	\$55,997,100

The Commissioner of Finance and Administration is authorized to establish 65 full-time positions and to allocate them to the appropriate organizational units, including two positions in the Department of Finance and Administration, Resource Development and Support; one in the Commission on Aging and Disability; and two in the Department of Transportation, Bureau of Administration, for contract monitoring; and one position in the District Attorneys General program; one in Department of Education, Alvin C. York Institute; three in Mental Retardation Division, East Tennessee Region; and two in Department of Health, Communicable and Environmental Disease Services. At June 30, 2004, any unexpended balances of departmental revenues and federal aid funds appropriated in this section are hereby reappropriated in the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2004.

SECTION 40. The provisions of this section shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it. There is hereby appropriated a sum sufficient to recognize any accrued liability of the state and any obligations between state agencies at June 30, 2005, and federal aid and departmental revenues may be adjusted accordingly. This appropriation is subject to certification of the accrued liability and obligations between state agencies by the Commissioner of Finance and Administration to the State Comptroller.

SECTION 41. The provisions of this section shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.

## Item 1.

- (1) All savings of appropriations made in this act from employer FICA taxes as a result of employee participation in any Section 125 cafeteria plan established for state employees are hereby appropriated in the following sequence:
  - (a) An amount sufficient to implement and pay the cost of administering the cafeteria plan established for such employees is hereby appropriated for that purpose. From the

appropriation made in this item, the State Treasurer, with the approval of the Commissioner of Finance and Administration, is authorized to fund recurring and non-recurring costs of administering the cafeteria plan established for such employees; and

- (b) An amount up to but not exceeding \$20,000 to support Automated Teller Machines (ATMs) in the capitol complex; and
- (c) An amount up to but not exceeding \$550,000 for the wellness program or other state employee insurance programs administered by the Department of Finance and Administration; and
- (d) An amount up to but not exceeding \$220,000 for the daycare program for children of state employees as administered by the Department of Human Services, provided that allotment of funds under this sub-item is subject to approval of the Commissioner of Finance and Administration; and
- (e) An amount up to but not exceeding \$91,300 to fund the administrative costs of the state employee sick leave bank administered by the Department of Personnel; and
- (f) The amount remaining to provide a source of funding for the employer match to the state's 401(k) plan for state employees compensated on the centralized state payroll system pursuant to TCA, Title 8, Chapter 25.
- (2) There is hereby appropriated in Section 1, Title III-21, of this act the sum of \$2,829,000 for the twenty dollar (\$20) match for state employees compensated on the centralized state payroll system if the amount appropriated from the employer FICA tax savings from the Section 125 cafeteria plan is insufficient.
- (3) There is hereby appropriated a sum sufficient from employer FICA tax savings from the Section 125 cafeteria plan maintained by the University of Tennessee to provide for the employer match to the state's 401(k) plan for employees of institutions under the University of Tennessee system pursuant to TCA, Title 8, Chapter 25. Should this be insufficient to provide for the twenty dollar (\$20) match, there is appropriated in Section 1, Title III-10, of this act, the sum of \$713,000 to supplement funding for such match.
- (4) There is hereby appropriated a sum sufficient from employer FICA tax savings from the Section 125 cafeteria plan maintained by the Board of Regents system to provide for the employer match to the state's 401(k) plan for employees of institutions under the Board of Regents system pursuant to TCA, Title 8, Chapter 25. Should this be insufficient to provide for the twenty dollar (\$20) match, there is appropriated in Section 1, Title III-10, of this act, the sum of \$1,497,000 to supplement funding for such match.

- (5) The state treasurer shall have the authority to contract with the optional retirement plan vendors to provide investment products to optional retirement plan participants under the state's 401(k) program.
- Item 2. The State Library and Archives Management Board in its discretion is hereby authorized to reallocate any remaining funds from the \$906,600.00 appropriated in Chapter 1037, Section 12, Item 124, of the Public Acts of 1988, for library construction at specific locations across the state, where projects have not developed, to other unspecified locations where future library construction projects may develop.
- Item 3. The State Library and Archives Management Board in its discretion is hereby authorized to reallocate any remaining funds from the \$1,000,000.00 appropriated in Chapter 1011, Section 12, Item 13, of the Public Acts of 1994, for library construction in specific locations and counties across the state, where projects have not developed to other unspecified locations and counties where future library construction projects may develop.
- Item 4. There is hereby appropriated a sum sufficient from earmarked and/or dedicated agency revenues and reserves to provide for the costs of implementing the state's Underground Storage Tanks program. The Commissioner of Finance and Administration shall allocate the costs to the individual agencies and establish the appropriations required from revenues and reserves available to the individual agencies.
- Item 5. There is hereby appropriated a sum sufficient from general fund interest earnings for the purpose of funding the State of Tennessee's liability under IRS regulations for arbitrage interest earnings on proceeds from general obligation debt.
- Item 6. There is hereby appropriated a sum sufficient from general fund interest earnings for the purpose of funding the state's liability for the exchange of interest with the federal government as provided for in the Cash Management Act of 1990.
- Item 7. There is hereby appropriated a sum sufficient to provide for a consultant's services in review of accounts receivable management for the State of Tennessee and for the implementation of those recommendations to the extent the recommendations are approved by the Commissioner of Finance and Administration. It is the intent of the legislature that said appropriation shall be funded from revenues collected from accounts receivable. The Commissioner of Finance and Administration may establish such positions as may be required to cost-effectively implement such recommendation. The Commissioner also is authorized to allocate a portion of the revenues collected to the appropriate organizational units and programs of state government and to adjust federal aid and other departmental revenue accordingly. Each allocation shall be used to fund non-recurring items only.
- Item 8. There is hereby appropriated a sum sufficient for the purpose of implementing an employee maintenance policy by the Department of Finance and Administration effective July 1, 2004. It is the legislative intent to hold harmless employees affected by the maintenance policy who were employed as of June 30, 1998. The Commissioner of Finance and Administration is authorized to allocate the appropriation to the appropriate organizational units and programs

of state government and to adjust federal aid and departmental revenue allotments accordingly.

- Item 9. There is hereby appropriated a sum sufficient to the Tennessee Industrial Finance Corporation from any revenues available to the organization to be expended under the provisions of Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 4-17-404.
- Item 10. There is hereby appropriated from dedicated revenues a sum sufficient to the Department of Commerce and Insurance, Division of Regulatory Boards, Real Estate Education and Recovery Fund, to provide for court-ordered payments and to print and distribute to all licensees a manual of laws and rules and regulations.
- Item 11. Subject to the financial reporting requirement that the value of federal food stamps be recognized in the state's accounting system, there is hereby appropriated a sum sufficient from federal funds to recognize the value of food stamps.
- Item 12. In addition to the appropriation made in Section 1, Title III-29, Item 3, for Highway Maintenance, and Item 5.5 for State Highway Construction in Chapter 356, Public Acts of 2003, there is further appropriated such amount as the Commissioner of Finance and Administration shall determine is available from tax revenues allocated to the highway fund and from the highway fund balance.
- Item 13. In the fiscal year ending June 30, 2004, the carry forward and reappropriation of unexpended appropriations for major maintenance, authorized in Section 2, Item 1, of Chapter 356, Public Acts of 2003, shall be subject to approval by the Commissioner of Finance and Administration based upon the availability of revenues and reserves in the general fund at June 30, 2004.
- Item 14. From the unexpended balances of the appropriations made under Section 1, Title III-21, of this act, there is hereby appropriated a sum not to exceed \$125,000.00 to reimburse the U.T. Center for Business and Economic Research for research assistance to the Department of Finance and Administration.
- Item 15. From the unexpended balances of the appropriations made under Section 1, Title III-21, of this act, there is hereby appropriated a sum not to exceed \$40,000 to reimburse the U.T. Center for Business and Economic Research for services delivered under the state data center contract with the U.S. Census Bureau.
- Item 16. In the fiscal year ending June 30, 2005, it is the legislative intent that the sum of two million dollars (\$2,000,000) be credited to the Health Access Incentive Account under the provisions of Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 66-29-121.
- Item 17. From the funds appropriated by this act, the Commissioner of Finance and Administration is authorized to transfer a sum sufficient to the Department of General Services, Division of Motor Vehicle Management internal service fund for the acquisition of motor vehicles.
- Item 18. The Commissioner of Finance and Administration shall have the authority to allocate savings generated from rate reductions from Office of

Information Resources services to support modifications needed to be made to existing applications resulting from technology obsolescence or product nonperformance to extend the life of a system.

Item 19. Any unexpended real estate fees collected by the real property management division in the Department of Finance and Administration shall not revert to the general fund at June 30, 2005, but shall be carried forward in a reserve.

Item 20. From the handgun carry permit fees paid under the provisions of Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 39-17-1351, and the provisions of Chapter 476, Public Acts of 1997, any unexpended permit fees at June 30, 2004, are hereby reappropriated to be expended in the 2004-2005 fiscal year and shall be carried forward in a reserve into the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2004.

Item 21. From the privilege tax on litigation apportioned for fingerprint imaging systems grants under the provisions of Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 67-4-602, any unexpended funds so apportioned shall not revert to the general fund at June 30, 2004, but shall be carried forward in a reserve to be expended for such grants in the succeeding fiscal years. Such funds are hereby reappropriated for that purpose.

Item 22. The appropriation made in Section 1, Title II, Item 6, of this act, for Civil Legal Representation shall be adjusted to an amount equal to the revenue collected in the fiscal year ending June 30, 2004, from the earmarked litigation tax levied pursuant to Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 67-4-602(f).

In addition to the preceding appropriation, there is hereby appropriated a sum sufficient not to exceed the revenue collected in the fiscal year ending June 30, 2005, from the earmarked bail bond tax levied pursuant to Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 67-4-806, for the purpose of developing and providing continuing education for professional Bail Bonding Agents and providing civil legal representation to low-income Tennesseans.

- Item 23. There is appropriated to the Department of the Treasury a sum not to exceed \$164,400 from the criminal injuries compensation fund for grants to the District Attorneys General for domestic violence prevention and drug enforcement activities authorized under Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 29-13-116.
- Item 24. There is hereby appropriated a sum sufficient to the Board of Probation and Parole from the reserves for parole and probation supervision and rehabilitation fees in the fiscal year ending June 30, 2005, under the provisions of Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 40-28-203(c).
- Item 25. In the fiscal year ending June 30, 2005, there is hereby appropriated a sum sufficient to the Department of General Services, Property Utilization, from revenues and reserves available to the division.
- Item 26. In the fiscal year ending June 30, 2005, there is hereby appropriated a sum sufficient to the Comptroller of the Treasury from the Telecommunications Ad Valorem Tax Reduction Fund to provide for the administration of the program and payments from the fund as provided by law.
- Item 27. There is hereby appropriated a sum sufficient from the revenue generated under the provisions of Chapter 854, Public Acts of 2002, relative to

funding parenting plans. The Commissioner of Finance and Administration is authorized to allot the appropriation as provided in Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 36-6-413.

- Item 28. In the fiscal year ending June 30, 2005, there is hereby appropriated a sum sufficient from the Sex Offender Treatment Fund pursuant to Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 39-13-709. Said appropriations shall be allocated under a plan developed by the Sex Offender Treatment Board.
- Item 29. In addition to the funds appropriated in Sections 1 and 4 of this act, there is hereby appropriated a sum sufficient to the Office of the District Public Defenders Conference to implement the provisions of the Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 40-14-210. Additional positions as required are authorized to be established.
- Item 30. In the fiscal year ending June 30, 2005, there is hereby appropriated a sum sufficient to the Office of the Attorney General from the balance of the Reserve for Attorney General Litigation Settlement.
- Item 31. In the fiscal year ending June 30, 2005, there is hereby appropriated a sum sufficient to the Department of Environment and Conservation from revenues and reserves available in the Dry Cleaners Environmental Response Fund.
- Item 32. The appropriation made in Section 1, Title III-21, Miscellaneous Appropriations for Homeland Security Emergency Fund, shall not revert to the general fund balance at June 30, 2005.
- Item 33. In the fiscal year ending June 30, 2005, any unexpended state appropriations made for homeland security purposes may be reserved to be carried forward to the next fiscal year. Said reserve is subject to the availability of revenue and to the approval of the Commissioner of Finance and Administration.
- Item 34. The departmental revenues appropriated in this act from federal homeland security grant programs are subject to the following provisions:
  - (a) A sum sufficient of this federal revenue is hereby appropriated for expenditure in the year ending June 30, 2004, and the unexpended balance in the year ending June 30, 2005. The allotment of these funds is subject to approval of the Commissioner of Finance and Administration, and the distribution among state and local agencies shall be subject to approval of or under procedures of the state Homeland Security Council.
  - (b) The Commissioner of Finance and Administration is hereby authorized to reallocate appropriations within the affected state agencies and to reallocate homeland security appropriations among the affected agencies for the purpose of providing the required state match to these and other federal homeland security and bioterrorism grants; to adjust position authorizations among affected departments, offices, and programs for that purpose; and to adjust federal and other departmental revenue estimates accordingly. The commissioner shall file any such reallocations or adjustments with the Fiscal Review Committee and the Office of Legislative Budget Analysis.

Item 35. From the appropriations in Public Acts of 2003, Chapter 356, and in Sections 1 and 4 of this act, sums sufficient are appropriated for state agencies to pay the professional privilege tax levied in Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 67, Chapter 4, Part 17, on behalf of full-time state employees who are subject to the tax; and who use the certification in their job duties. The payment is subject to approval by the department or agency head in accordance with the provisions of Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 67, Chapter 4, Part 17, and any amendments to such part made by Senate Bill No. 3418/House Bill No. 3480, if such bill becomes law.

Item 36. Subject to the availability of revenue, there is hereby appropriated a sum sufficient from the Tennessee Judicial Information System Fund established in Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 16-3-807, to the Automated Court System Hardware Replacement Loan Fund established in Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 16-3-1001. This appropriation is subject to approval by the Commissioner of Finance and Administration.

Item 37. In the fiscal years ending June 30, 2004, and June 30, 2005, there are hereby appropriated sums sufficient to the Judicial Branch from dedicated revenues for the Board of Professional Responsibility, Tennessee Lawyers Assistance Programs, Continuing Legal Education and Client Protection Fund.

Item 38. In addition to any other funds appropriated by the provisions of this act, the Commissioner of Finance and Administration, with the approval of the Speaker of the House of Representatives and the Speaker of the Senate, may restore to the base of any entity funds from the reserves of such entity which were transferred to the general fund by the provisions of Chapters 355, 356 or 418 of the Public Acts of 2003. Such funds shall be restored from overcollection of funds based on budget revenue estimates based upon the state funding board's consensus recommendation adopted by the first session on the 103rd General Assembly.

Item 39. There is hereby appropriated a sum sufficient from the revenue generated by Chapter 304, Public Acts of 2003, to provide funding for the additional sexual assault program services. Any unexpended funds shall not revert to the general fund balance at June 30 and are hereby reappropriated in the subsequent fiscal year.

Item 40. There is hereby appropriated a sum sufficient from the revenue generated by Chapter 335, Public Acts of 2003, to provide funding to establish drug courts.

- Item 41. There is hereby appropriated a sum sufficient from the revenue generated by Chapter 649, Public Acts of 2002, to provide funding for the family violence shelters and shelter services. Any unexpended funds shall not revert to the general fund at June 30 and are hereby reappropriated in the subsequent fiscal year.
- Item 42. Subject to Senate Bill No. 3212/House Bill No. 3250 becoming law, the following appropriations are made for the purpose of implementing the Charitable Gaming Implementation Law:
  - (1) To the Secretary of State in the fiscal year ending June 30, 2004, the sum of \$43,000 from dedicated revenue and a sum not to exceed \$47,000 from state tax revenue.

- (2) To the Secretary of State in the fiscal year ending June 30, 2005, the sum of \$1,028,300 from dedicated revenue.
- (3) To the Department of Correction, 1985 Sentencing Act, in the fiscal year ending June 30, 2005, the sum of \$8,300.
- Item 43. In addition to the appropriations made in Section 1, Title III-1, Item 3.7, to the Economic Council on Women, there is appropriated the sum of \$31,500. The appropriation made in Section 1, Title III-1, Item 3.1, to the Secretary of State, is reduced in the amount of \$31,500.
- Item 44. From the appropriations made in Sections 1 and 4 of this act to the Department of Children's Services, the Commissioner of Finance and Administration is authorized to transfer amounts budgeted for contract services to payroll and to increase the number of authorized positions to replace contractors with state employees.
- Item 45. From the appropriations made in Section 1, Title III-17, to the Department of Human Services, the Commissioner of Finance and Administration is authorized to transfer \$3,845,100 from Community Services to Family Assistance Services. It is the legislative intent to recognize the corrected base budget reduction plan.
- Item 46. From the appropriations made in Section 1, Title III-3, to the Department of Agriculture, the Commissioner of Finance and Administration is authorized to transfer \$38,800 from Administration and Grants to Market Development and to adjust departmental revenues accordingly.
- Item 47. From the appropriations made in Section 1, Title III-5, to the Department of Environment and Conservation, the Commissioner of Finance and Administration is authorized to transfer \$75,000 from Solid Waste Management to Recreation Educational Services and to adjust departmental revenues accordingly.
- Item 48. In the fiscal years ending June 30, 2004, and June 30, 2005, there are appropriated sums sufficient to the Department of Commerce and Insurance, Division of Regulatory Boards, from dedicated revenues and reserves available to the Real Estate Education and Recovery Fund and the Auctioneer Education and Recovery Fund to provide for court-ordered payments.
- Item 49. The Commissioner of Finance and Administration is authorized to transfer one full-time position from the Department of Environment and Conservation to the Department of Education, Environmental Education Program, and to adjust departmental revenue accordingly.
- Item 50. From the appropriation made in Chapter 356, Public Acts of 2003, and in Section 1, Title II, Item 5 of this act for Indigent Defendants Counsel, there are earmarked sums sufficient for the sole purpose of funding the provisions of Senate Bill No. 3008/House Bill No. 3454, if such bill becomes law.
- Item 51. From the funds appropriated in Section 1, Title III-14, to the Department of Mental Health and Developmental Disabilities, there is appropriated the sums of \$54,000 (recurring) and \$116,500 (non-recurring) for the purpose of funding Senate Bill No. 3390/ House Bill No. 3514, if such bill

becomes law. It is the legislative intent that the costs of equipping the regional mental health institutes and the recurring communication costs be paid out of the savings generated from the bill.

- Item. 52. Subject to Senate Bill No. 3385/House Bill No. 3526 becoming law, it is the legislative intent to recognize a loss in dedicated revenue of \$18,345 to the Department of Commerce and Insurance, Division of Regulatory Boards.
- Item 53. From the appropriations made in Section 1, Title III-22, of this act, to the Department of Children's Services for the maintenance of the Tennessee Preparatory School property, the Commissioner of Finance and Administration is authorized to transfer appropriations and positions to other agencies and to the Facilities Revolving Fund to provide for the continued maintenance of the property.
- Item 54. There is hereby appropriated a sum sufficient to fund the cost of any background investigation conducted under the provision of Chapter 528, Public Acts of 2004, including any background investigation requested by the Chair of the Nominating Commission appointed pursuant to Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 38-6-101. It is the legislative intent that such cost be a public expense.
- Item 55. There is hereby appropriated a sum sufficient to the Tennessee Bureau of Investigation to fund the provisions of Senate Bill No. 3148/House Bill No. 3291.
- Item 56. There is hereby appropriated a sum sufficient to the General Assembly to fund the cost of a contract for an executive search and background checks of applicants for the position of director of the Tennessee Bureau of Investigation.
- Item 57. Subject to Senate Bill No. 2078/House Bill No. 2143 or Senate Bill No. 2277/House Bill No. 2160 becoming law, it is the legislative intent to recognize a \$167,400 loss of state revenue, relative to sales tax exemption for motor vehicles sold and registered in Tennessee to Tennessee National Guardsmen or U.S. uniformed service Reservists who are in active military service and are stationed outside the U.S. during hostilities and are receiving combat pay.
- Item 58. The appropriation of \$25,000 made in Section 12, Item 1044, of the 1998 Appropriations Act, is hereby reappropriated to the Mockingbird Community Retirement Center, a 501(c)(3) organization, to be used for planning of a retirement center for persons with speech and hearing impairments.
- Item 59. From the funds appropriated in Section 1, Title III-24, of this act, to the Department of Finance and Administration Mental Retardation, there is hereby earmarked a sum sufficient not to exceed \$350,000 for the purpose of defraying extraordinary liability insurance expenses incurred by certain providers of mental retardation services to be determined and administered by the Department of Commerce and Insurance.
- Item 60. From the revenues produced by the professional privilege tax levied in Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 67, Chapter 4, Part 17, there is hereby appropriated a sum sufficient to reimburse public higher education

institutions and programs for payment of the tax on behalf of full-time employees who are subject to the tax.

## SECTION 42.

- Item 1. Notwithstanding any provision of the law to the contrary, no law of general application which imposes increased expenditure requirements on cities and counties in excess of one million dollars (\$1,000,000.00) shall take effect unless the state share of the cost of such law is specifically appropriated by the provisions of this act.
- SECTION 43. The provisions of this section shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.
  - Item 1. It is the legislative intent to recognize a base over-appropriation in the general fund of \$104,600,000 in 2003-2004 and \$104,600,000 in 2004-2005.
    - Item 2. (a) In the fiscal year ending June 30, 2004, there shall be reserved or designated a sum in the general fund balance to provide for non-recurring appropriations and other appropriations intended to be funded in the 2004-2005 fiscal year from the general fund balance at June 30, 2004. The Commissioner of Finance and Administration shall determine the amount to be reserved or designated.
    - (b) In addition to the authority granted in sub item (a), the commissioner is directed to reserve or designate the sum of \$44,284,500 from general fund balances at June 30, 2004, and carry forward such amount into FY 2004-05 for purposes of funding additional non-recurring appropriations.
  - Item 3. Under the provisions of Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 55-6-107(a), the sum of \$8,300,000 shall be allocated to the general fund for the cost of issuing motor vehicle registration plates in the fiscal year ending June 30, 2005.
  - Item 4. Unexpended appropriations in an amount to be determined by the Commissioner of Finance and Administration shall be transferred from the debt service fund to the general fund in the fiscal year ending June 30, 2004.
  - Item 5. In the fiscal year ending June 30, 2004, tax revenues allocated to the debt service fund, including motor vehicle title fees, in excess of \$222,000,000 shall be transferred to the general fund. If said allocation to the debt service fund is less than \$222,000,000, then the allocation of excise tax revenues to the debt service fund shall be increased in an amount to provide the allocation of \$222,000,000 to the debt service fund.
  - Item 6. In the fiscal year ending June 30, 2004, the allocation of motor vehicle title fees to the debt service fund shall be the lesser of \$2,700,000 or the sum generated by the \$1.50 fee under the provisions of Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 55-6-101(a)(1).
  - Item 7. In the fiscal year ending June 30, 2005, subject to authorization in Senate Bill No. 3448/House Bill No. 3546, if such bill becomes a law, or to authorization in other law, an amount of \$65,800,000 shall be transferred to the general fund from the Department of Transportation funds in the highway fund or

other funds.

Item 8. From the funds appropriated in Section 1 of this act to reimburse the Department of Personnel for the Leadership Development Initiative (LDI), the Commissioner of Finance and Administration is authorized to allocate a reduction of \$50,000 in state appropriations.

Item 9. From funds appropriated in Sections 1 and 4 of this act to reimburse the Department of Revenue for maintaining a lock-box system, the Commissioner of Finance and Administration is authorized to reallocate those appropriations to reflect any adjustment in charges for the service.

Item 10. From the appropriations made in Section 1, Title III, and Section 4, Title III, but excluding Title III-1 in both sections, the Commissioner of Finance and Administration is authorized to reallocate a sum sufficient to provide for the establishment and operation of a state office in Washington, D.C. The Commissioner of Finance and Administration shall report to the chairmen of the Senate and House Finance, Ways and Means Committees the amounts reallocated by agency.

Item 11. From the appropriation made in Section 1, Title III-25, TennCare Program, the sum of \$1,000,000 is intended to provide funding for fraud and abuse investigations in the TennCare program, prosecutions resulting therefrom and to fund assistance in this effort from the district attorney general's conference and the district public defenders conference. The Commissioner of Finance and Administration is authorized to make appropriation transfers, establish positions and adjust departmental revenue estimates to implement the activity. Prior to any adjustments in accordance with this item, the Commissioner of Finance and Administration shall report to the chairs of the Senate and House Finance, Ways and Means Committees and to the Office of Legislative Budget Analysis the amount of any appropriation transfer, departmental revenue adjustments and positions to be established by judicial district.

Item 12. From the appropriations made in Section 1, Title III, of this act, the following appropriations are funded from the federal essential services revenues provided by the "Jobs and Growth Tax Relief Reconciliation Act of 2003":

- a) \$33,382,700 to Human Services for TANF monthly benefits;
- b) \$33,209,000 to Human Services for TANF child care;
- c) \$10,500,000 to Human Services for TANF differential grants;
- d) \$11,528,700 to Finance and Administration Mental Retardation for community services;
- e) \$15,683,537.73 to Finance and Administration Miscellaneous Appropriations for information systems development projects.

SECTION 44. There is hereby appropriated a sum sufficient from the State Office Buildings and Support Facilities Revolving Fund to provide for expenditures authorized under Title 9, Chapter 4, Part 9, of the Tennessee Code Annotated. There is appropriated a sum sufficient to the revolving fund in recognition of the lease cost of space for which recovery is not in the state's best interest. The Commissioner of Finance and Administration is authorized to allot, from the amount carried forward under

Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 9, Chapter 4, Part 9, to provide funding for state office buildings and support facilities.

- SECTION 45. The provisions of this section shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.
  - Item 1. There is hereby created a Capital Projects Account in the Division of Office of Information Resources for the administration of the Information Systems Capital Projects Budget.

This account is established to provide for:

- (a) Implementation of the statewide Management Information Systems Plan;
- (b) Ability to separate the operational budget of the Office of Information Resources and the system development projects contained in the MIS Plan; and
- (c) Financial control of the system development projects, including equipment replacement for the various agencies of state government.
- Item 2. There is hereby authorized the transfer of those sums appropriated for information systems capital projects in Sections 1 and 4 and in Section 36, Item 1, of this act. Federal aid funds and other departmental revenues shall be adjusted accordingly to reflect the transfer of state appropriations.
- Item 3. The Commissioner of Finance and Administration is authorized to transfer to the Capital Projects Account any appropriations made in Sections 1 and 4 of this act resulting from operating savings derived from implementation of information systems funded through this section.
- Item 4. From the appropriations made for systems development and other data processing activities in this act and other acts of the legislature, the Commissioner of Finance and Administration is authorized to establish and charge the costs of information systems analyst positions and other data processing positions to said appropriations. The Commissioner of Finance and Administration is further authorized to transfer between departments and agencies existing information systems analysts positions, other data processing positions and the funding provided in this act for transferred positions. This appropriation is subject to approval by the Information Systems Council.
- Item 5. Expenditure of any funds, subject to the jurisdiction of the Information Systems Council, appropriated for systems development, the purchase of computer software or the purchase of computer hardware shall be subject to the policies of such Council.
- Item 6. From the appropriations made for information systems activities in this act and other acts of the legislature, the Commissioner of Finance and Administration is authorized to transfer from professional services to payroll amounts budgeted for contractors. Additionally, the Commissioner of Finance and Administration is authorized to increase authorized positions in order to replace contractors with state employees.

- Item 1. The revenues allocated under the provisions of Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 55, Chapter 4, Part 2 Special License Plates, are hereby appropriated in a sum sufficient amount as provided in Part 2.
- Item 2. From the motor vehicle registration fees imposed pursuant to Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 55, Chapter 4, Part 132, there is hereby appropriated a sum sufficient in the fiscal year ending June 30, 2005, to be used solely for the development, acquisition, operation and updating of a computerized titling and registration system. The Commissioner of Finance and Administration is authorized to allocate the funds to implement the intent of the 1999 act.
- Item 3. It is the legislative intent to hold harmless the groups receiving revenue in the fiscal year ending June 30, 2004, under the provisions of Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 55, Chapter 4, Part 2 Special License Plates, in the event the allocation of revenue is discontinued through court proceedings in the fiscal year ending June 30, 2005. Subject to the allocation of revenue being discontinued, there is hereby appropriated to Miscellaneous Appropriations a sum sufficient on a non-recurring basis in an amount equal to the allocation of revenues in the fiscal year ending June 30, 2004, less any allocation made prior to being discontinued in the fiscal year ending June 30, 2005. The Commissioner of Finance and Administration shall determine the amounts to be allocated.
- SECTION 47. The provisions of this section shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.
  - Item 1. From state revenues and other funds available to the general fund in excess of requirements for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2004, the Commissioner of Finance and Administration shall establish the Revenue Fluctuation Reserve in such amount as may be available under the provisions of Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 9-4-211. Provided, it is the legislative intent that the Revenue Fluctuation Reserve be set at a level of not less than \$217,000,000 on June 30, 2004.
  - Item 2. From state revenues and other funds available to the general fund in excess of requirements for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2005, the Commissioner of Finance and Administration shall establish the Revenue Fluctuation Reserve in such amount as may be available under the provisions of Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 9-4-211.
- SECTION 48. The provisions of this section shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.
  - Item 1. The Commissioner of Finance and Administration is authorized to transfer all federal and state health care funds, except those funds appropriated to support the State Group Insurance Program, the Local Education Insurance Program and the Local Government Health Insurance Program, to the TennCare Program for the purpose of implementing any program approved by waiver, state plan amendment and/or state and federal legislation pursuant to the provisions of health care services to Tennesseans designated as eligible by TennCare. In addition, any premiums collected by the TennCare Program are explicitly authorized to be appropriated to the program for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of TennCare.

The Commissioner of Finance and Administration is further authorized to transfer state funds and positions, as required, between TennCare and Mental Health services; Mental Retardation services; other Health services; Children's Services; Human Services; and Commerce and Insurance, Division of TennCare Oversight.

- Item 2. For fiscal year 2004-2005, in addition to all other appropriations to the TennCare Program, the Commissioner of Finance and Administration is authorized to use certified public expenditures and/or intergovernmental transfers from all government-related TennCare service providers and local governments for the purpose of matching funds under federal law for the TennCare Program. The use of the certified public expenditures and/or intergovernmental transfers shall be in accordance with federal law and regulations.
- Item 3. Subject to the availability of funding at June 30, 2004, the Commissioner of Finance and Administration is authorized to carry forward into the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2004, any unexpended balances of appropriations made under Chapter 356, Public Acts of 2003, for TennCare and such funds as are carried forward are hereby reappropriated to be expended in the 2004-2005 fiscal year.
- Item 4. Subject to the availability of revenue from intergovernmental transfers, there is hereby appropriated to TennCare a sum sufficient in the fiscal year ending June 30, 2005, for Nursing Facility Disproportionate Share Payments, incentive payments to local governments, an increase in payments to Level I and Level II facilities to the 65th percentile, and to the TennCare Reserve. It is the intent that the Long Term Care Global Budget for fiscal year 2004-2005 be increased for such payments.
- Item 5. The Commissioner of Finance and Administration is hereby authorized to expend or lend from the funds appropriated such sums as the Commissioner deems appropriate to assist TennCare HMO(s) in their operations and obtain services from contractors, consultants, and other third parties to give such assistance, such being determined by the General Assembly to be for a public purpose. The commissioner shall provide prompt notification to the Speakers of the Senate and House of Representatives and to the Chairs of the Finance, Ways and Means Committees regarding any such expenditure or loan with complete details of the amounts and recipients involved in such transactions.
- Item 6. The Commissioner of Finance and Administration and the TennCare Bureau shall provide quarterly reports to the Fiscal Review Committee regarding the expenditures of all base and improvement funds made available by the provisions of this act for the TennCare managed care program. Such reports shall include, but not be limited to, a detailed accounting of the timeliness and amounts of the following types of payments: (1) enhanced payments to providers; (2) essential provider payments; (3) monthly third-party contractor payments; and (4) any expenditures or loans made by the Commissioner of Finance and Administration to or for the benefit of any TennCare MCO to assist in its operations or obtain services from contractors, consultants, and any other third party. Such reports shall also include any other information requested by the Chair of the Fiscal Review Committee.

No incentives shall be given to MCOs to join or remain in the TennCare Program until fifteen (15) days written notice detailing the proposed incentives have been provided to the Fiscal Review Committee.

- Item 7. The Commissioner of Finance and Administration is hereby authorized to adjust revenue estimates and related expenditures in Section 4, Title III-24, related to premiums and drug rebates for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of TennCare.
- Item 8. From the funds appropriated in Section 1, Title III-25, to the TennCare Programs and subject to the availability of revenue from intergovernmental transfers, there is hereby allocated, from said revenues, \$971,600 in the fiscal year ending June 30, 2005, for the purpose of continuing the Behavioral Unit pilot program as recommended by the State Mental Health Task Force. The pilot program will be limited to a total of 150 beds for the life of the three year pilot which began July 1, 2002. The Commissioner of Finance and Administration is authorized to adjust federal aid accordingly.
- Item 9. The Commissioner of Finance and Administration is authorized to impose service limitations, to reduce optional eligibility categories, mandate standardized reimbursement levels, and/or reduce, or limit, optional benefits in the TennCare program as necessary to control program expenditures in the fiscal year ending June 30, 2004, and June 30, 2005.

## SECTION 49.

- Item 1. From the appropriation made in Section 1, Title III-21, for Salary Increase, there is appropriated the sum of \$22,200,000 to provide a two percent (2%) across-the-board salary increase effective July 1, 2004, for each state employee and to adjust the appropriate salary ranges in a like manner. The salary increase is not applicable to employees in positions which come under the provisions of a statutorily mandated pay plan; provided, however, that employees who come under the provision of a statutorily mandated pay plan shall be paid in accordance with the provisions of such statutory plan.
- Item 2. It is the legislative intent that the across-the-board salary increase shall apply to all state employees unless an employee is denied on the basis of unsatisfactory work performance which shall be set forth in a statement from the head of the department or agency detailing the circumstances surrounding the denial which shall be sent to the affected employee. The person shall have the opportunity to respond either orally or in writing to the head of the department or agency or their designee. If the denial is sustained, such letter must be filed with the Commissioner of Personnel. Provided, however, that employees who are compensated at range minimums shall receive any increase caused by the adjustment of the range minimums, notwithstanding the provisions of this item to the contrary.
  - Item 3. (a) It is the legislative intent that the survey portion of the commissioned officer pay plan in the Department of Safety as referenced in Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 4-7-205, shall be implemented at 100% of the value of the current survey effective July 1, 2004.
  - (b) It is the legislative intent that the survey portion of the Tennessee Wildlife Resources Agency pay plan shall be implemented at 100% of the value of the current survey effective July 1, 2004.
  - (c) In addition to any other funds appropriated in this act, there is appropriated the sum of \$1,400,000 for the purpose of fully funding the provisions of this item.

- Item 4. The appropriation made in Section 1, Title III-21, for State Employee Classification Compensation, is made to address employee compensation issues. Prior to allocating this appropriation, the Commissioner of Personnel and the Commissioner of Finance and Administration shall submit to the Speaker of the Senate, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, the Chairmen of the Finance, Ways and Means Committees of the Senate and the House of Representatives and the Office of Legislative Budget Analysis a plan for allocation of this appropriation to the state agencies.
  - Item 5. (a) The appropriation of \$24,400,000 made in Section 1, Title III-21, for Salary Bonus, is made for the purpose of funding a one-time salary bonus to state employees and employees of higher education institutions.
  - (b) In addition to any other funds appropriated in this act, there is hereby appropriated the sum of \$24,400,000 for the purpose of funding an additional one-time salary bonus to state employees and employees of higher education institutions.
  - (c) It is the legislative intent that such bonus funds shall be paid to state employees on or about October 1, 2004, and shall be based upon, insofar as possible, an amount equal to \$70.00 per year of service; provided no total bonus shall be less than \$210 or more than \$1,750. It is further the legislative intent that employee bonuses for employees of higher education be distributed in a similar manner. Amounts paid under this item shall be included as earnable compensation for retirement purposes.
- Item 6. From the appropriation made in Section 1, Title III-21, for Salary Increase, the sum of \$2,000,000 shall be allocated to the non-tuition units in the higher education systems to provide a two percent (2%) salary increase effective July 1, 2004. The tuition units shall provide funds for a two percent (2%) salary increase from tuition increases or budget reallocations. It is the legislative intent that salary increases pursuant to this item shall be across-the-board to all higher education employees in an equal amount or percentage increase. Prior to the distribution of these funds the executive director of the Tennessee Higher Education Commission, the President of the University of Tennessee system and the Chancellor of the Board of Regents shall submit to the Speaker of the Senate, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, the Chairs of Finance, Ways and Means Committees of the Senate and House of Representatives and the Office of Legislative Budget Analysis a plan for eligibility and distribution of these funds.
- Item 7. In addition to any other funds appropriated by the provisions of this act, there is appropriated the sum of \$24,400,000 to provide an additional one percent (1%) across-the-board salary increase effective July 1, 2004, for each state employee and employees of higher education institutions and to adjust the appropriate salary ranges in a like manner. The salary increase is not applicable to employees in positions which come under the provisions of a statutorily mandated pay plan; provided, however, employees who come under the provision of a statutorily mandated pay plan shall be paid in accordance with the provision of such statutory plan.
- SECTION 50. From the appropriation in Section 1, Title III-11, Item 5, Regulatory Boards, an amount of \$175,000 is earmarked from the Board of Architectural

and Engineering Examiners revenues or reserve funds for disbursement to accredited interior design programs, accredited architectural programs and accredited engineering programs of state-funded colleges and universities, after application to and subject to approval by the Board of Architectural and Engineering Examiners. The Board will develop guidelines for application, award and disbursement of the funds appropriated herein.

SECTION 51. The Commissioner of Finance and Administration is authorized to reallocate appropriations for Board of Claims premiums and property insurance premiums among state agencies and programs, based on the actuarial study provided by the State Treasurer, and to adjust federal and other departmental revenues accordingly. There is further appropriated for this purpose sums sufficient from dedicated and earmarked revenues to provide for the allocation of appropriations to those agencies and programs funded by dedicated and earmarked revenues. The Commissioner of Finance and Administration also shall reduce appropriations from dedicated and earmarked revenues where necessary, to reflect the allocations of the actuarial study.

SECTION 52. The provisions of this section shall take effect upon becoming law, the public welfare requiring it.

Item 1. From the appropriations made for Disaster Relief Grants in this act in Section 1, Title III-21, Item 7, the Commissioner of Finance and Administration is authorized to allocate funds to provide for National Guard costs associated with homeland security purposes.

Item 2. The Commissioner of Finance and Administration is authorized to transfer \$500,000 from the fiscal year 2003-2004 Department of State Data Processing Reserve balance to the general fund reserve sub-account established for the Department of State for the purpose of meeting matching requirements and paying all expenses reasonably attributable to the funding and implementation of the Help America Vote Act. These funds will not revert and shall remain available until expended for these purposes.

SECTION 53. The provisions of this section shall take effect upon becoming law, the public welfare requiring it. From the appropriations made in Section 1 and Section 4 of this act, the Commissioner of Finance and Administration is authorized to transfer appropriation savings resulting from energy management projects to the major maintenance accounts of the departments and agencies. These funds may be used to pay debt service on associated bonds, to reimburse the General Fund for appropriations made for energy management capital projects, to pay energy management fees, and to fund energy projects approved by the State Building Commission.

SECTION 54. From the funds appropriated in Sections 1 and 4 of this act the Commissioner of Finance and Administration is authorized to reduce said appropriations to reflect rate reductions charged for central services provided by the departments of Finance and Administration, Personnel and General Services.

SECTION 55. The provisions of this section shall take effect upon becoming law, the public welfare requiring it. From the lottery for education account, the after-school programs special account, and other accounts and sub-accounts established pursuant to the Tennessee Education Lottery Implementation Law, Public Acts of 2003, Chapter 297, sums sufficient hereby are appropriated for the higher education scholarship programs and other education programs authorized by that law; by Public Acts of 2003, Chapter 298, the lottery-funded education programs law; and by Senate Bill No. 2616/House Bill No. 2687, Senate Bill No. 2449/House Bill No. 2861 and Senate Bill No. 2114/House Bill No. 2134, relative to lottery scholarships, if such bills become law; and by Senate Bill No.

3158/House Bill No. 3210, relative to lottery-funded after-school educational programs, if that bill becomes a law. The appropriations from these sources for pre-kindergarten and early childhood education programs shall not exceed eight million dollars (\$8,000,000) and for after-school programs shall not exceed two million dollars (\$2,000,000); provided that in both cases the appropriation is contingent upon the availability of funds in the proper account and upon the availability of excess funds from net lottery proceeds, after the funding of higher education scholarships. The availability of excess funds shall be determined by the Commissioner of Finance and Administration prior to the distribution of any excess funds. A copy of such determination shall be filed with the Chairs of the select committee on the Tennessee Education Lottery Corporation and the Office of Legislative Budget Analysis.

SECTION 56. The provisions of this section shall take effect upon becoming law, the public welfare requiring it. In addition to the appropriations made in Chapter 356, Public Acts of 2003, and in this act, the following items are appropriated in the fiscal year ending June 30, 2004:

- Item 1. To the Department of Education the sum of \$2,631,100 to fund the BEP formula. There is further appropriated the sum of \$5,000,000 for the BEP in the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2004.
- Item 2. To the Department of Education the sum of \$6,334,000 to fund the BEP two percent (2%) enrollment growth factor.
- Item 3. To the Department of Human Services the sum of \$15,000,000 for TANF caseload increases and related programs.
- Item 4. To the Department of Children's Services the sum of \$13,200,000.
- Item 5. To the Department of Finance and Administration Mental Retardation the sum of \$9,000,000.
- Item 6. To the Department of Correction, State Prosecutions the sum of \$6,600,000.
- Item 7. To the Department of Environment and Conservation, Groundwater Protection the sum of \$1,400,000.
- Item 8. To the Department of Labor and Workforce Development the sum of \$3,200,000 for the Second Injury Fund program. There is further appropriated the sum of \$1,200,000 for the program in the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2004.
  - Item 9. (a) To the Department of Military, Disaster Relief Grants the sum of \$1,800,000.
  - (b) There is further appropriated a sum not to exceed \$5,000,000 for the program in the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2004. This appropriation shall be non-recurring and is subject to the availability of funds in the fiscal year ending June 30, 2004, it being the legislative intent to fund this item from excess funds available in the fiscal year ending June 30, 2004.
- Item 10. To the TennCare program the sum of \$627,500 to improve the percentage of children receiving EPSDT services. There is further appropriated

- the sum of \$2,510,200 for the program in the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2004. The Commissioner of Finance and Administration is authorized to adjust departmental revenue estimates in TennCare and the Department of Health and to establish 44 full-time positions in the Department of Health.
- Item 11. To Miscellaneous Appropriations the sum of \$200,900 to provide for the mileage rate increase effective May 1, 2004, under the provisions of the state's comprehensive travel regulations. There is further appropriated the sum of \$1,103,600 for the rate increase in the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2004.
- Item 12. To the Judicial branch the sum of \$470,000 for the Guardian Ad Litem program. There is further appropriated the sum of \$470,000 for the program in the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2004.
- Item 13. To the Judicial branch the sum of \$1,000,000 for Indigent Defendants' Counsel. There is further appropriated the sum of \$550,000 for the program in the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2004.
- SECTION 57. In addition to the appropriations made in Section 1 of this act, the following appropriations are made in the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2004:
  - Item 1. To the Miscellaneous Appropriations the sum of \$4,100,000 to fund a methamphetamine program. This appropriation is subject to Senate Bill No. 2143/House Bill No. 2209 becoming law.
  - Item 2. To the Department of Human Services and TennCare the sum of \$4,520,900 to establish a call center. The Commissioner of Finance and Administration is authorized to allocate this appropriation between Human Services and TennCare, to adjust departmental revenues and to establish additional authorized positions.
  - Item 3. To TennCare the sum of \$496,600 to fund the TennCare appeals unit in the Department of Human Services. The Commissioner of Finance and Administration is authorized to adjust departmental revenues accordingly, to transfer positions from TennCare to Human Services and to establish 62 full-time positions in Human Services.
  - Item 4. To TennCare the sum of \$50,000 to fund the cost of meetings of the TennCare Foundation and the TennCare Advisory Commission. This appropriation is subject to Senate Bill No. 3392/House Bill No. 3513 becoming law.
  - Item 5. To TennCare the sum of \$38,300. This appropriation is subject to Senate Bill No. 3394/House Bill No. 3512 becoming law.
  - Item 6. To TennCare the sum of \$581,000. This appropriation is subject to Senate Bill No. 2520/House Bill No. 2350 becoming law.
  - Item 7. To TennCare the sum of \$319,700. This appropriation is subject to Senate Bill No. 2457/House Bill No. 2392 becoming law.
  - Item 8. To TennCare the sum of \$35,300,000 for the purpose of making essential access hospital provider payments. To the extent that federal matching funds are available for all of the funds appropriated by this item, the payments will be divided into the following funding pools: (a) essential service safety net hospitals \$50 million; (b) children's safety net hospitals \$5 million; (c) free

standing psychiatric hospitals \$2 million; and (d) other essential acute care hospitals \$43 million. The Commissioner of Finance and Administration shall utilize a payment methodology that considers both TennCare utilization as a percent of total utilization as well as charity, medically indigent care, and bad debt expenses as a percent of total expenses. The formula that determines the distribution of funds within these pools will be similar to the formula utilized for the payments made in FY 2001. In order for a hospital to qualify for a payment in the essential service safety net pool, the children's safety net pool and the other essential acute care pool, the hospital must be a contracted provider with TennCare Select and, where available, at least one other Managed Care Organization in the TennCare program. In order for a free standing psychiatric hospital to qualify for a payment, the hospital must be a contracted provider with one of the Behavioral Health Organizations. Payments made to essential providers pursuant to this item shall be made quarterly.

- Item 9. To Labor and Workforce Development, Workers' Compensation, and the Department of Commerce and Insurance the sum of \$1,874,700 (recurring) and \$295,000 (non-recurring) to fund a mandatory review conference program and to establish thirty-seven additional positions. There is further appropriated a sum not to exceed \$250,000 to fund the purchase or development of a medical fee schedule. The Commissioner of Finance and Administration is authorized to allocate the appropriation and positions to the appropriate programs and to adjust departmental revenue accordingly. These appropriations are subject to Senate Bill No. 3424/House Bill No. 3531 becoming law.
- Item 10. To the Department of Environment and Conservation, State Parks Maintenance the sum of \$900,000.
- Item 11. To the Department of Mental Health and Developmental Disabilities the sum of \$310,600 for administrative support services. Nine additional positions are authorized.
- Item 12. The Commissioner of Finance and Administration is authorized to abolish nine positions in the Department of Finance and Administration Mental Retardation, to adjust departmental revenues and federal funds accordingly and to transfer state appropriation in the amount of \$82,700 from TennCare to the Department of Mental Health and Developmental Disabilities.
- Item 13. To Miscellaneous Appropriations the sum of \$3,500,000 for State Employee Classification Compensation. This appropriation is in addition to the appropriation made in Section 1, Title III-21, Item 14 of this act.
- Item 14. To the Department of Correction the sum of \$5,000 for the 1985 Sentencing Act program. This appropriation is subject to Senate Bill No. 30/House Bill No. 64 becoming law.
- Item 15. To the District Attorneys General the sums of \$475,000 (recurring) and \$250,000 (non-recurring) to fund computer wide-area network connections and three computer support positions previously funded from federal grants and to fund the replacement and upgrade of personal computers, servers and software. Provided that the District Attorneys General shall replace the computer equipment and software through the OIR computer replacement fund and shall submit to OIR an information systems plan in 2004 and succeeding years under guidelines issued by OIR.
  - Item 16. To the State Board of Education the sum of \$72,800 to fund one

professional position.

- Item 17. To the Department of Education the sums of a) \$34,100 for the Science Alliance Museums grants and b) \$6,000 for the Touching the Lives of Children pre-school grants.
- Item 18. To Miscellaneous Appropriations the sum of \$10,000 to fund the provisions of Senate Bill No. 3417/House Bill No. 3527, if such bill becomes law. The bill authorizes payment to persons owing money to the state if it is determined that refusing to do so would interrupt essential services.
- Item 19. To the Department of Human Services the sum of \$810,000 for the sole purpose of allocating such sum in equal grants to each of the nine (9) human resource agencies. This appropriation shall be non-recurring.
- Item 20. To the State Museum the sum of \$350,000 for the purpose of acquiring cultural artifacts. This appropriation shall be non-recurring.
- Item 21. To the Board of Probation and Parole from revenues and fees available to such board the sum of \$222,900 for replacement of personal computer equipment. This appropriation shall be non-recurring.
- Item 22. To Miscellaneous Appropriations the sum of \$71,500 to fund the state agency payments to the Underground Storage Tanks program. This appropriation shall be non-recurring and it is subject to Senate Bill No. 3413/House Bill No. 3496 becoming law.
- Item 23. To the Department of Commerce and Insurance, Regulatory Boards, the sum of \$551,200 from dedicated revenues and reserves for replacement of the regulatory boards computer system.
- Item 24. To the McWherter Scholars program the sum of \$150,000 to fund scholarships for fifty (50) freshmen.
- Item 25. To the Department of Finance and Administration the sum of \$4,000,000 to fund a capital outlay project for a morgue at East Tennessee State University.
- Item 26. To the Department of Environment and Conservation the sum of \$3,000,000 to fund the Bedsole Tract acquisition. This appropriation shall be non-recurring.
- Item 27. In addition to the funds appropriated in Section 1 of this act, there is appropriated from the real estate transfer tax the sum of \$6,000,000 to be allocated as a recurring appropriation to the following programs, as authorized by Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 67-4-409:

Wetlands Acquisition Fund	\$2,437,500
Local Parks Acquisition Fund	\$1,312,500
State Lands Acquisition Fund	\$1,125,000
Agricultural Resources Conservation Fund	\$1,125,000

Item 28. To the Department of Finance and Administration the sum of \$7,100,000 to fund a portion of higher education capital outlay projects.

- Item 29. To Miscellaneous Appropriations a sum not to exceed \$11,700,000 to fund information system development projects. This appropriation shall be non-recurring and is subject to the availability of funds in the fiscal year ending June 30, 2004, it being the legislative intent to fund this item from excess funds available in the fiscal year ending June 30, 2004. The appropriation made in this item shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.
- Item 30. To the District Attorneys General the sum of \$491,800 to fund an increase in the statutory pay plan effective July 1, 2004. This appropriation is subject to Senate Bill No. 2975/House Bill No. 3468 becoming law.
- Item 31. To the District Public Defenders the sum of \$138,200 to fund an increase in the statutory pay plan effective July 1, 2004. This appropriation is subject to Senate Bill No. 525/House Bill No. 76 becoming law.
- Item 32. To the Department of Correction, 1985 Sentencing Act, the sum of \$332,500. This appropriation is subject to Senate Bill No. 2473/House Bill No. 3186 becoming law.
- Item 33. Subject to Senate Bill No. 3217/House Bill No. 3467 becoming law, the following appropriations are made for the purpose of implementing the Tennessee Sexual Offender and Violent Sexual Offender Registration, Verification and Tracking Act of 2004:
  - (1) To the Department of Correction, 1985 Sentencing Act, the sum of \$118,600.
  - (2) To the Tennessee Bureau of Investigation the sum of \$318,200 (\$83,100 recurring and \$235,100 non-recurring).
  - (3) To the Board of Probation and Parole the sum of \$251,300 (\$19,300 recurring and \$232,000 non-recurring).
- Item 34. To the Department of Education, Improving School Programs the sum of \$2,263,200 for the Family Resource Centers program.
- Item 35. To the Department of Economic and Community Development the sum of \$750,000 for the state to be represented in its official capacity as host of a national meeting. This appropriation is non-recurring and shall not revert to the general fund at June 30, 2005.
- Item 36. To the Department of Labor and Workforce Development a sum sufficient from filing fees imposed in the Workers' Compensation program. This appropriation is intended to upgrade salary ranges for the program specialists. This appropriation is subject to Senate Bill No. 3424/House Bill No. 3531 becoming law.
- Item 37. To the Board of Probation and Parole the sum of \$2,500,000 to fund a pilot project for the "Tennessee Serious and Violent Sex Offender Monitoring Act". This appropriation shall be non-recurring and is subject to Senate Bill No. 3159/House Bill No. 3182 becoming law.
- SECTION 58. The Commissioner of the Department of Correction and the Chair of the Board of Probation and Parole in conjunction with the Comptroller of the Treasury and the Office of Legislative Budget Analysis are requested to examine release eligibility dates associated with state prisoners housed in local jails and the fiscal impact thereof on

state government spending. The results of such examinations, and suggested recommendations, shall be reported to the Chair of the Corrections Oversight Committee and the Chairs of the Senate and House Finance, Ways and Means Committees by January 15, 2005.

SECTION 59. Other provisions of this act to the contrary notwithstanding, the General Assembly recognizes that extraordinary actions by the Commissioner of Finance and Administration may be required to achieve the overappropriation level provided herein, to manage the base budget reductions reflected in this act, and to fulfill the constitutional duty of state government to orderly close fiscal year 2004-2005. It, therefore, is the legislative intent that the Commissioner of Finance and Administration be authorized to defer and reduce expenditures and otherwise effect savings of funds appropriated herein; provided, however, that the authority granted by this section shall be exercised only insofar as permitted by law and in accordance with applicable law.

SECTION 60. The Tennessee Code Commission is requested to place an appropriate, permanent note following the codification of any public act which is codified and which has not received constitutionally required first year's funding through the provisions of this act.

SECTION 61. If any provisions of this act or the application thereof to any person or circumstance is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect other provisions or applications of this act which can be given effect without the invalid provision or application, and to that end the provisions of this act are declared to be severable.

SECTION 62. No expenditure of public funds pursuant to this act shall be made in violation of the provisions of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, as codified in 42 United States Code 2000(d).

SECTION 63. It is hereby declared to be the legislative intent that the budget proposed by the Governor for fiscal year 2005 - 2006 include sufficient funds to restore to local governments, on a recurring basis, at least one-half of the state shared revenues redirected to the state general fund by the provisions of Chapter 355, Public Acts of the 103rd General Assembly. It is further declared to be the legislative intent that all of such redirected state shared revenues be fully restored to local governments on a recurring basis for fiscal year 2006 - 2007.

SECTION 64. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it; provided, however, that any provision of this act which authorizes prior or immediate expenditures and any section or item which specifies an immediate effective date shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.

PASSED: May 21, 2004

John S. WILDER SPEAKER OF THE SENATE

JIMMY NAIFEH, SPEAKER

APPROVED this 15<sup>th</sup> day of June 2004

PHIL BREDESEN, GOVERNOR